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SPANISH REBELS SUBDUED IN FIERCE BATTLES

350 Killed And 1,200 Wounded In Nation-Wide Insurrection

TROOPS STORM BARCELONA

CITY RAKED BY HEAVY ARTILLERY FIRE

MADRID ANNOUNCES GOVERNMENT IN COMPLETE CONTROL

AZANA TAKES FLIGHT

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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BARCELONA, OCT. 7.

GAPING HOLES IN THE WALLS OF GENERALIDAD PALACE, WHERE PRESIDENT COMPANYS FOUGHT VALIANTLY AGAINST THE OVERWHELMING GOVERNMENT FORCES, TESTIFY TO THE SEVERITY OF THE ARTILLERY BOMBARDMENT TO WHICH THE PALACE WAS SUBJECTED BEFORE THE REBELS SURRENDERED.

Even the streets of the city were torn up by the rebels to make barricades.

General Batet was in command of the attackers. Following the ultimatum sent yesterday, he opened fire with his artillery. The rebels were known to be strongly entrenched but their numbers were not sufficient to give the attacking force any great difficulty.

Shortly before the final assault, direct hits were registered on Governor Companys' palace-headquarters and the main balconies were completely shot away. During the height of the fighting, the rebels sent a desperate appeal to Sabadell for reinforcements. They required 3,000 fighting men from the neighbouring town, they said, to hold out against General Batet. The appeal was vain.

President Companys was unharmed, and marched out of the palace between two files of soldiers, holding his head high. It is believed he is now imprisoned together with other leaders of the Catalan revolt aboard a liner in Barcelona harbour. —*Reuter Special.*

REMARKABLE ESCAPE

Madrid, Oct. 7. Premier Lerroux had a narrow escape last night when two bullets shattered the glass of the window behind him and whistled across the Council Chamber during an emergency session of the Cabinet. Senor Lerroux was dictating a letter at the moment and only paused a moment to glance around at the broken panes. Then he went on with his work, unperturbed. —*Reuter Special.*

GOVERNMENT IN CONTROL

The insurrection in Spain is now considered ended. Apart from sporadic fighting in Barcelona, where warships have been sent, disturbances subsided to-day throughout the country. Troops everywhere remained loyal to the Government.

The Government is taking measures to facilitate the resumption of the country's normal life to-morrow.

Meanwhile, troops are on the alert to prevent any further outbreaks. Citizens everywhere have been requested to remain in their homes to-night. But anyone who ventures outside must keep his hands above his head when challenged in order to disarm suspicion and prevent misunderstandings.

AZANA ARRESTED?

It is reported that Senor Manuel Azana, who named himself head of the new Catalan

LATE CASUALTY REPORTS

Heavy Loss Of Life In Revolution

(Special to "Telegraph")

Madrid, Oct. 7.

It is unofficially estimated that 350 persons have been killed in the fighting throughout Spain since the calling of the general strike, and probably 1,200 more have been wounded.

Of these casualties the largest number were at Barcelona, when General Batet opened fire on the insurgents with his artillery. —*United Press.*

MEDICAL CONFERENCE

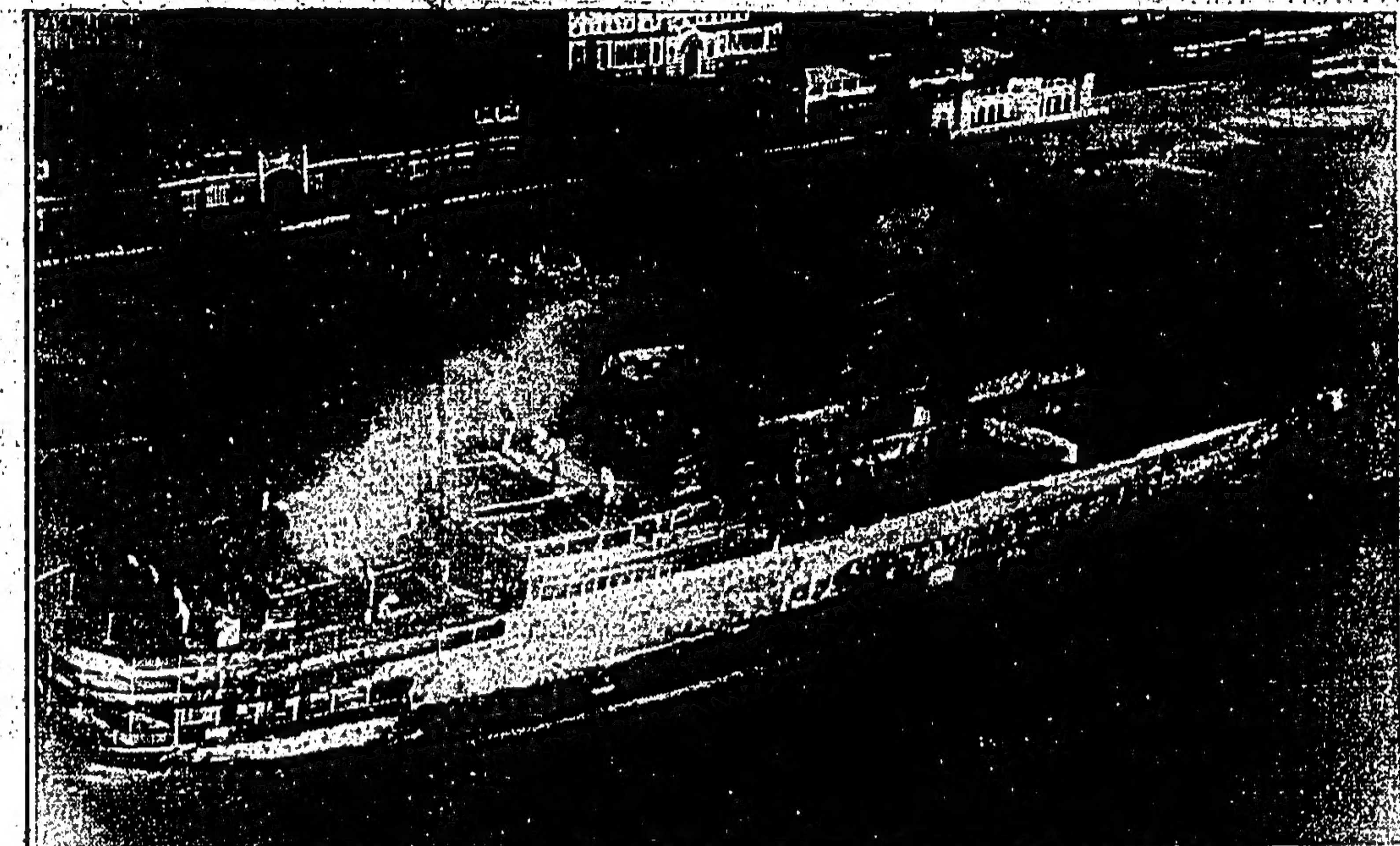
CONCLUDING AT NANKING

Nanking, Oct. 8.

The Ninth Congress of Far Eastern Tropical Medicine, which was inaugurated at Nanking on October 3, will be concluded this afternoon.

Representatives from all over the Far East, including Hongkong, India, Malaya, the Dutch East Indies, and other points, are attending. —*Reuter.*

Republic, has been arrested near board a vessel bound for France. Barcelona while attempting to Barcelona is now in the hands of Government troops and the life of the "Catalan Republic" has ended. Azana, former Premier of Spain, ruled Barcelona for a day. —*Reuter.*



The first picture to reach Hongkong of the Morro Castle disaster. Taken in tow by the coastguard cutter the Morro Castle broke free from the low line and drifted onto the beach at Ashbury Park, just a few miles from the spot where disaster overtook her. The fire-scarred, smouldering hulk is shown as it wallowed in the shallow surf, a few yards from the beach on which some of its survivors landed.

JEHOL FEARS HOSTILITIES

RUMOURS FLY IN MANCHUKUO

ARMY EXERCISES RESPONSIBLE

Tientsin, Oct. 8.

The Japanese garrison forces in Jehol have commenced a programme of manoeuvres, which will continue until October 12.

Military movements were particularly intensified last week-end in various districts of Jehol in preparation for manoeuvres on a grand scale on October 10. Japanese garrison forces at various passes of the Great Wall have moved to Chengteh, capital of Jehol, in order to participate in the exercises.

As a consequence of this state of affairs, wild rumours have been in circulation in Jehol to the effect that some extraordinary developments might be near. These rumours have been responsible for a slump in Manchukuo banknotes. —*Central News.*



Mrs. Karieta Mulvihill Green, the 17-year-old girl who has backed out of her marriage to a truck driver and is now in the Far East searching for an ideal husband. She says Hongkong men are "a pretty mouldy lot."

DETROIT LEADS IN WORLD SERIES

TIGERS' SUCCESSIVELY DEFEAT ST. LOUIS

CARDINALS CRACK UP ON HOME DIAMOND

St. Louis, Oct. 7.

Detroit Tigers, champions of the American League, won their second successive game against the St. Louis Cardinals to-day, scoring three runs against one. It was a dark hour for the Cardinals' backers, for the Detroit team was never considered dangerous and the betting odds were heavy against them.

Now Detroit leads the series race and at a very dangerous corner. One more victory will give the Tigers the world pennant. The game score is now three to two.

The box scores to-day read as follows:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	7	1
Detroit	3	7	0

The two games in St. Louis, Saturday and to-day, have conclusively shown that Detroit has no need to fear the Cardinals' pitchers. In the Saturday encounter they batted the whole pitching staff around the diamond, including the mighty Dizzy Dean, scoring ten runs against the staggered Cards. To-day they belted Dizzy Dean again.

ANOTHER DISCOVERY

Detroit discovered another budding genius in Tommy Bridges, one of their young pitchers, who, although he has done good work through the season, was not expected to tie the hard-hitting Cardinals up in knots. That is what he did.

He pitched brilliantly and in the first seven innings fanned six batters. He was backed by perfect fielding, the Million-Dollar infield, of which the Tigers have boasted, functioning according to its reputation. Bridges gave away seven hits, but kept them well separated.

SHOCK FOR TIGERS

Having started out so well, the Tigers got a shock when Delancey eluded a home run in the seventh inning. But there were no runners on the bags, and Bridges settled down again to keep the score card dry.

Meanwhile, Gehring, the lanky Detroit second baseman, had smacked Dirty Dean's fast ball for a home

KIANGSI FORT FALLS

Government Troops Advance Again

Shanghai, Oct. 8.

Chinese reports from Nanchang state that Shihcheng, an important Communist stronghold in southern Kiangsi, has been occupied by Government troops after a severe engagement, following a bombardment.

The Government forces continue to advance, according to semi-official advices. —*Reuter.*

Creeping Business Recovery

PROSPECTS FOR U.S. INDUSTRY

MORE SILVER PURCHASES

Washington, Oct. 7.

A creeping business recovery in America over the next three or four months is expected. Business sentiment is better, as is also the Washington political influence on general recovery. An overwhelmingly Democratic and pro-New Deal success in the November elections is confidently anticipated.

The dollar is likely to remain at its present gold content indefinitely.

Silver is being purchased abroad in larger quantities than appears on published records and purchases will continue despite the Chinese protest and questioning from Britain.

KEEPING DOLLAR STEADY

Revaluation of silver is unlikely at any time soon. The Stabilization Fund will be used to keep the dollar from getting too strong during the next few months in order to maintain a favourable export position.

There is agitation within the Government for lifting the restrictions on foreign exchange transactions.

Satisfactory developments are expected in the NRA and the new NRA board is considered good. The chances for a strike freeze are not particularly good and numerous strikes are expected. —*per Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.*

PRATAS RESCUE EFFORT

WRECKED VESSEL UNAPPROACHABLE

SUFFOLK'S BOATS FIGHT BIG SEAS

SALVAGE SHIP DRIVEN BACK

H.M.S. Suffolk, which was rushed to the Pratas Islands on Saturday to render aid to the stranded City of Cambridge, yesterday made an attempt to get boats alongside the vessel but was unable to do so owing to the heavy weather prevailing.

The Suffolk arrived at Pratas at about noon yesterday and found the big freighter still hard on the Reef. After getting into communication with the City of Cambridge by means of lights, she launched a number of boats in an effort to get alongside the vessel from the shore side.

Several attempts were made to get contact with the City of Cambridge, but all were unavailing owing to the heavy seas breaking over the Reef.

It appears that the only feasible method of getting to the stranded vessel will be from the lagoon, but so far the Suffolk boats have been unable to get through the passage. The captain and crew of eighty are still aboard the stranded ship, and the master has informed the Suffolk that he does not intend leaving the vessel until he has had the opinion of salvage experts as to whether or not the ship is likely to be a total loss.

The Taikoo tug which went out in an endeavour to reach Pratas had to turn back to Hongkong yesterday because of heavy seas. However, with the weather having moderated somewhat, she again left for the scene this morning.

NULLAH MURDER APPEAL

THREE POINTS SUBMITTED

HEARING OPENED THIS MORNING

The appeal against the sentence in the Nullah Murder Trial, in which Ng Loi-yuen was sentenced to death at the Criminal Session on September 9 for the murder of Michael Pine, was commenced before the Court of Criminal Appeal, comprising Mr. Justice Jackson and Mr. J. J. Hayden, this morning.

Mr. R. C. H. Lim, instructed by Mr. T. F. K. Kombe, appeared for the appellant, while Mr. J. A. Fraser, instructed by Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith, appeared for the Crown.

GROUND FOR APPLICATION

Mr. Lim first applied for leave to appeal and did so on the grounds (1) that there was a miscarriage of justice as to Mary Pine's evidence in the Crown opening, which seriously prejudiced the defence, and (2) that there was misdirection to the jury in that the trial judge did not with sufficient clearness state to the jury what the main defence was, namely, that one or more children other than those seen by Mrs. Fairburn, were either thrown into or accidentally fell into the nullah whilst throwing stones; and that the trial judge misdirected the jury in his summing up with reference to the two bruises on Mary Pine's neck, when he said, "They were necessarily inflicted when (Continued from Page 7.)"

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SKILLED MEN REQUIRED REAL DEARTH IN MOSCOW NOW THEFT OF TRAINED MEN PRACTISED

Moscow, Oct. 1.
White, thousands of skilled workers in America and Europe are looking futilely for jobs, certain kinds of labour are so scarce here that the "theft" of trained men for one organisation by another has become a real industrial problem.

That does not mean there is no unemployment in the Soviet Union. The streets of Moscow, especially in winter, teem with beggars. With outstretched palms they stand in groups around the stores patronized by foreigners and more prosperous Russians. But any man with technical skill can get a job. In fact, employers hunt him.

Some organizations, particularly the big construction trusts, employ special agents to seek workers. Sometimes, these agents "steal" men from other trusts, promising them better pay or increased privileges in the way of housing and food.

TRICKERY.
The extent to which some organizations will go to get workers was illustrated recently by the Staka Regional Executive Committee. Needing more workers, they sent instructions to a number of men employed by the "Magnesite" factory to report for military training.

The workers arrived at the place designated in the order and were met by the members of the Committee. With great secrecy, they were shipped off to an unknown destination. Upon arrival there they found not a military camp but a timber camp and were set to work felling logs down a river.

Meanwhile, one of the furnaces in the "Magnesite" plant was forced to close for lack of men to tend it. The former ironworkers were rolling logs.

The regional committee to the Communist Party, which keeps its eyes open for such trickery, found out what was happening and the "military order" was promptly revoked.

Heavy labour turnover, resulting in many cases from such tactics, is one of the industrial problems which Soviet administrators are now trying to solve.

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THE HOME DRESSMAKER

The Child's "Romper"



To make up these useful little "rompers" for the toddler—boy or girl—you will need only one and a quarter yards of thirty-six inch material. Choose something durable and make sure that it washes well.

Study the diagram, cut a paper pattern to the measurements given, tack up, try the pattern on the child, and make any necessary alterations. Now cut the material, as shown, by the corrected pattern. The waist-band, which is not shown in the diagram, is a straight strip of material, three inches wide, to be used double.

In making up the "rompers," arrange the back fastening of the bodice part by turning in the edges and facing with a strip of material about three-quarters of an inch wide. Lap right side over left, sew on buttons and work buttonholes, or else use press-studs.

Join the back of the bodice to the front of the garment by shoulder and side seams. Then join the back of the knicker part to the front by side seams, leaving them open at the top for a few inches for the side fastenings.

Hem the edges of the openings and the lower edge of bodice back. Now gather the top edge of the knicker, back and stitch between the doubled waist-band, the ends of which should be long enough to go round the front of the waist and fasten with a small buckle.

Sew up the little leg seam, hem the leg edges, and run elastic through these hems.

Bind the arm-holes, and cut a small slit in the centre front of the bodice. Bind this slit together with the neck edge, then tack it together again. This is not a fastening, but it makes a pretty finish to the neckline.

settlement of the younger and active are entirely governed by the presence of food and fur. They kill birds and wild animals with bows and arrows of spruce wood.

In June, the Leaf Moon, the Indians travel South. July, St. Anne's Moon, is spent receiving spiritual instruction. During August, the Moon of Flight, the families return to the interior.

The Eskimos, it is suggested, are the most contented of all people. Not one of them has ever suffered from nervous prostration and, as a race, they are brilliant utilitarians. Yet, it is stated that they are a dying race. In 1891 their number was estimated at 40,000. Four years ago that figure had dropped to 28,000.

As an illustration of their courage, they will, if need be, tackle a polar bear single-handed with only a dog whip. A knife is fastened to the end of a long whip, and the animal is slowly lashed to death.

ART TREASURE DISCOVERED

Bought For A Song
By Labourer

MAY BE WORK OF
FAMED MASTER

Boston, Sept. 27.
Mr. Jeremiah Christopher Leonard, 34, a sign painter who likes to rummage through dusty shops for second-hand art was revealed recently as possessor of an apparent masterpiece that may bring him a fortune.

Some of the country's leading museums have become keenly interested. It was learned, in a "Madonna and Child" that for three years adorned the parlour wall of Mr. Leonard's Somerville House.

The dust-smothered painting, believed that of an Italian master of the Renaissance period cost Mr. Leonard \$6. Now it appears that the work may bring him anywhere from \$50,000 to \$150,000. So he has removed it from the parlour wall and placed it in safekeeping. Mr. Leonard supports his wife and children—five to fourteen years old—painting billboard posters. His hobby is visiting second-hand furniture stores, seeking art gems among their mouldy litter.

Five years ago he found the "Madonna and Child," coated with dust and grime, in a Somerville shop. It had lain unnoticed for so long that the Jewish proprietor forgot where it came from. A bid of \$6 was accepted readily—the merchant even threw in a bundle of frames for good measure.

Though attracted by the underlying beauty of the painting, Mr. Leonard was equally ignorant of its intrinsic value. It wasn't until Dr. Charles McCrossan, art connoisseur and friend of the sign painter, spied it about two years ago that it was decided to submit it to experts.

OF GREAT AGE.

Connoisseurs at Boston Museum of Fine Arts, Fogg Museum at Harvard University, and Metropolitan Museum in New York all have adjudged it as probably 400 to 500 years old.

One authority at Boston Museum thinks it may be by Sassetto, who lived between 1605 and 1685, and painted many Madonna and Christ pictures. An expert at the Museum in Cambridge, who lived between 1494 and 1534. A genuine Correggio, it has been estimated, might bring as much as \$150,000 in fashionable collecting circles.

oval in shape and measuring 14 inches across and 20 inches from top to bottom, the painting is in colours rich and harmonious. The intensity of expression on the beautiful faces and the concentration of the four eyes on a given point were said by one expert to remind of both Raphael and Rembrandt, but other characteristics made it clear that it was not the work of either.—United Press.

MAN AS SEEN BY HIS TAILOR

NOT GIFTED LIKE WOMEN

Men, in the opinion of Mr. Stanley Johnson, honorary secretary of the National Federation of Merchant Tailors, are not naturally gifted in the matter of clothes as women are, and should, therefore, be given some official bureau of dress information to which they can go for advice.

They did not desire that men's fashions should change as rapidly as women's, but it should be possible to agree on some gradual changes in men's clothes, so that a man wearing a suit several years out of date would be made to look so ridiculous that he would have great difficulty in persuading any self-respecting woman to walk down the street with him.

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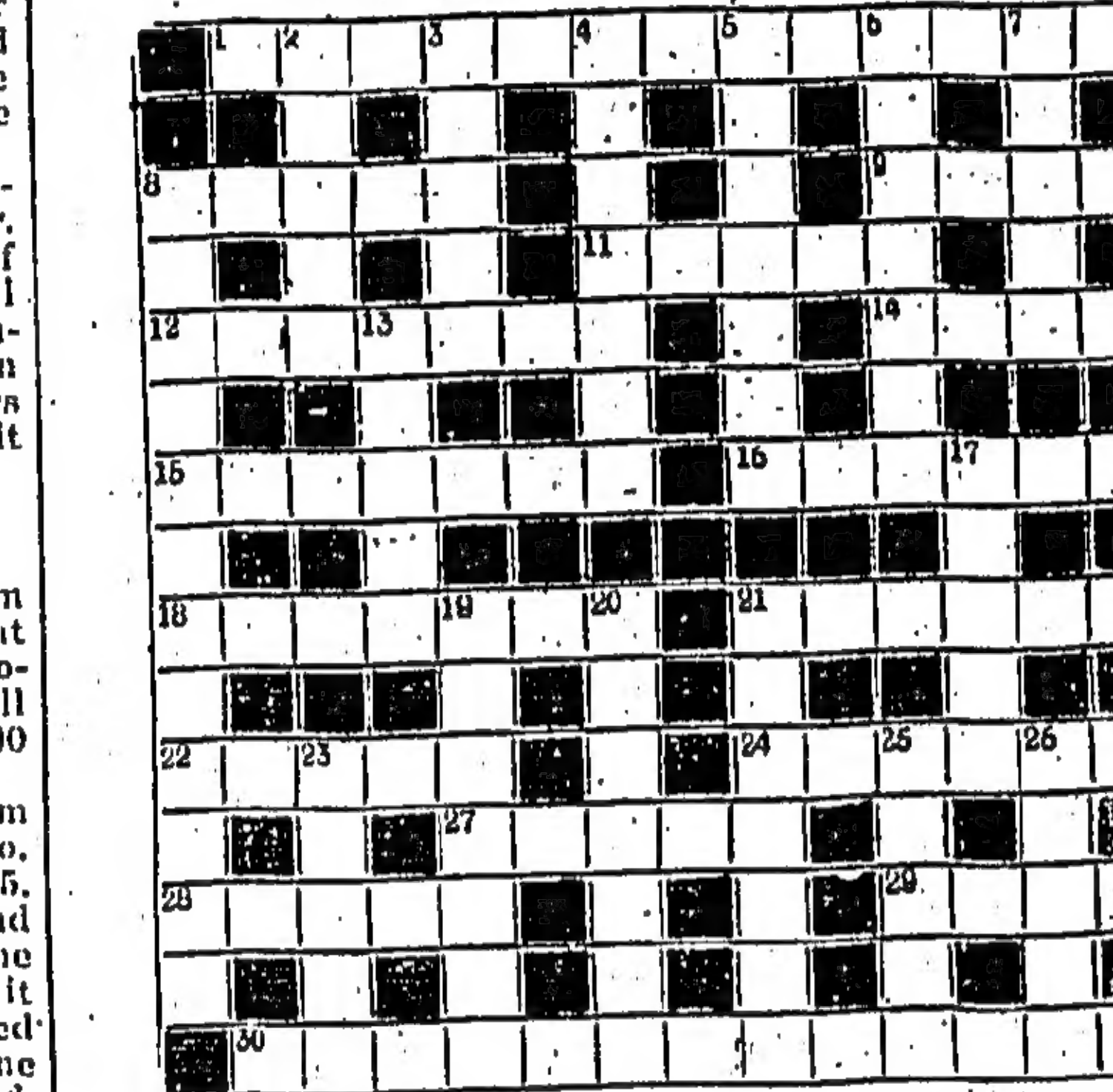
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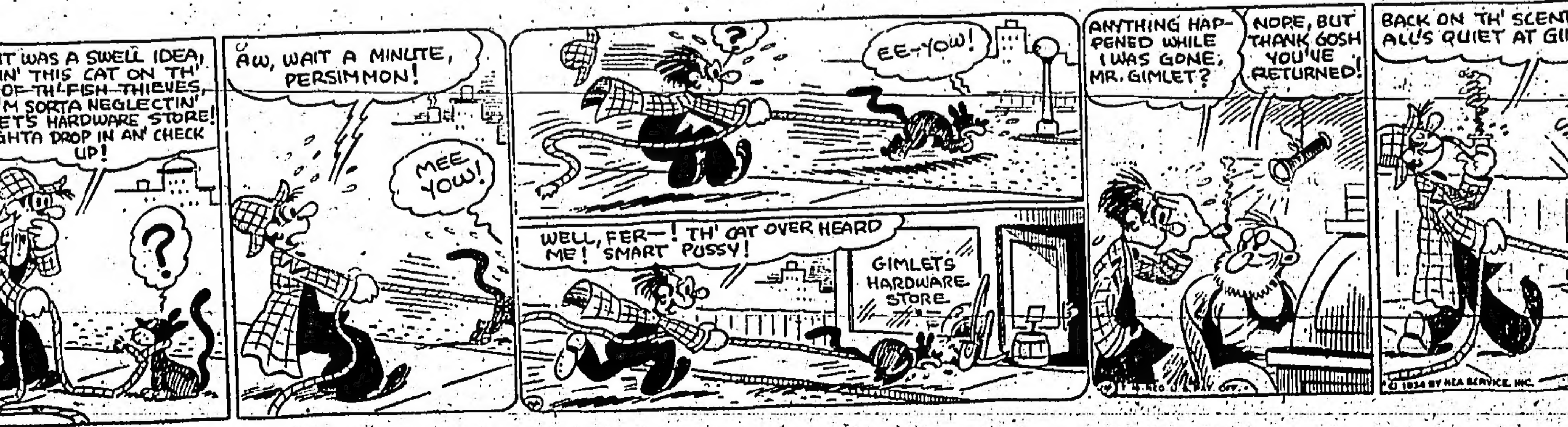
OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



- Across**
- How the father of a woman solicitor, and her husband's father, might refer to her (hyphen).
 - Though largely *couleur de rose*, not at all peccant.
 - Sharper do not play the game in this boat.
 - Jack Sprat should have liked this joint; there's no fat on it.
 - Feasted sumptuously.
 - For anyone who is, it's all U.P.
 - Glass.
 - Two words that might describe a macaw, or the regular patron of night clubs.
 - There's nothing common about anything that's this.
 - Unfriendly.
 - Verminous snake.
 - Scatter the tin about the slightly ruffled hair, in order that he may come in for it.
 - at some future time
 - American city.
 - He may not be the best of farm hands, but he might be worse.
 - What is it that points north and south at the same time (hyphen).
- Down**
- In the midst of anything.
 - This East Indian ox is lively with nearly everyone.
 - Part of a loom.
 - This horse is useless between.

The Health Bulletin for Eastern ports for the week ending September 29 states that one case of non-fatal plague was reported at Pondicherry. 43 cases of non-fatal cholera were reported at Calcutta, 14 cases of cholera with no deaths were reported at Madras, and four deaths from cholera were reported from Chittagong. Small-pox cases, without fatalities, were reported as follows: 6 cases from Bombay, 4 from Calcutta, 5 from Madras, 1 from each of Rangoon and Vinnagapatam, and 6 from Colombo.

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NEW TESTS FOR
MOTORISTSDraft Of Home
Regulations"EXAMINATION"
TESTS PLANNED

Draft regulations to govern the efficiency tests which new applicants for driving licences will in future have to pass, were issued recently by the Minister of Transport. It is emphasised that the regulations are provisional, and are for discussion among motorists and interested bodies. They are in no way final.

The applicant, according to the draft regulations, will have to satisfy a "duly authorised examiner" that he is fully conversant with the Highway Code.

In addition, he must satisfy as to his ability unaided to deal with his car in the following manner: Start the engine of his vehicle; Move away straight ahead or at an angle;

Overtake, meet or cross the path of other vehicles and take an appropriate course;

Stop the vehicle in an emergency or normally, and in the latter case to bring the vehicle to rest at an appropriate part of the road;

Drive backwards, and while so doing enter a limited opening either to the right or to the left; Reverse the direction of the vehicle by use of forward and reverse gears;

Give appropriate hand or mechanical signals at appropriate times to indicate intended actions; Act promptly on all signals given by traffic signs, traffic controllers and other road users.

ANOTHER FEE.

Anyone seeking a licence must apply to the Council of his County or Borough, and applications will be dealt with at any time within one month of the effective date of the licence. The present fee of 5s. for the licence is to be continued, but an additional fee (7s. 6d.) is suggested in the draft regulations will be charged for the test.

The draft regulations continue the rule relating to physical disabilities which debar an applicant from holding a licence or even from claiming to be subjected to a test. These include: Epilepsy, mental defectiveness of certain types, liability to sudden giddiness or fainting, and inability to read a car number plate at 25 yards in good light and with glasses.

Tests will be conducted "by such Government Departments, bodies, organisations or persons as the Minister may from time to time appoint."

A certificate of compliance is to be issued to successful candidates. Those who fail to pass the test shall be ineligible to submit to a further test for two months. The applicant is required to provide a motor vehicle "of suitable type" for the test.

Drivers who are not resident in Great Britain are not required to pass the test. Provisional licences are to be granted, according to the draft regulations, to enable the holders to use them "only when under the supervision of a person fit and competent to give instruction in the driving of a motor vehicle who, except in the case of a motor-

BEST DRESSED
NATIONENGLAND LEADS
THE WAY

Laxity in dress among the professional classes was regretted by Sir Francis Joseph, speaking at the annual banquet held in connection with the National Federation of Merchant Tailors' Conference at Buxton.

The workaday world to-day, he added, was better clothed than it had ever been before.

England was now the best-dressed nation in the world, and both American and Continental peoples were coming here in large numbers to replenish their wardrobes.

As a result of the prevalence of small cars it was impossible for a doctor to wear a tall hat, and with the passing of the tall hat the doctor had also discarded his frock coat.

Criticism of the slovenly dress worn by some men, and also of the new Army uniform, was made by Mr. R. H. Stone, of Norwich, the retiring President.

"Are we to stand idly by," he asked, "and see our soldiers dressed like cheap hikers? Can dress such as is suggested engender discipline and smartness? It certainly will not improve the soldier's idea of dress when in mufti or when he retires."

Mr. E. M. Meggitt, Manchester, the newly-elected President, said he believed that a change and improvement in men's dress was coming soon, and that the ubiquitous sports coat and flannel trousers would disappear.

cycle or invalid carriage, shall be present in the vehicle with the holder of the provisional licence."

CONDITIONS FOR LEARNERS.

A vehicle driven by a learner holding a provisional licence is to carry a white disc seven inches in diameter, or a white square of the same size with a red letter "L," 2½ in. high and 1½ in. base, the width of the letter being ¾ of an inch.

Additional regulations in the draft provide that a licence shall be signed by the owner, failure being punishable by a fine not exceeding 25s; duplicate licences shall be issued, in the event of a loss or defacement, at a cost of one shilling; records shall be kept by the Licensing Authority of all endorsements, and a copy of all particulars recorded by them shall be supplied to the police on application.

No mention is made in the draft regulations of the date from which the driving tests shall apply, but since it was laid down in the Act that new applicants for driving licences after April 1 this year were to be subjected to a test it is assumed that, when final regulations are issued they will apply retrospectively to that date.

The draft regulations have been issued to the various motoring organisations for their examination and comment. When the views of these bodies have been received by the Minister, final regulations will be drafted in the light of their observations.



The first performance will take place shortly of the presentation of "Little Dorrit," by Charles Dickens, in which the title role is to be played by Frau Schmeling, better known as Anny Ondra.

HOW IS YOUR
MEMORY?WIDE READING
NECESSARY

If the boy of to-day wishes to pass his school examinations, it would appear that he has to be a very close reader of reliable newspapers and a student of European and world situations, as they effect politics and economics.

The last Leaving Certificate examination set by the Scottish Education Department asked, for instance, questions on Hitler, Marconi, dictatorship, the cinema, ruling, and foreign exchange.

In the Day School Certificate one question in the general paper is:

Select five of the following and say, very briefly, what has made each of them famous:—Lord Howard of Effingham, Prince Rupert, Joseph Addison, Duchess of Marlborough, William Wilberforce, Sir John Moore, James Watt, Abraham Lincoln, Marconi, Mrs. Bankhurst, Earl Hugh, Adolf Hitler.

In the Leaving Certificate English paper the following is demanded:

Write a composition, not exceeding three foolscap pages in length, on any one of the following subjects:—

(a) "Fresh air and exercise for a healthy outlook on life." Discuss the merits of this slogan.
(b) "Sports and societies (debating, dramatic, &c.) are too prominent in the modern school." Discuss.

(c) Describe a day among the hills, or a day by the sea.

(d) The respective advantage of the theatre and the cinema.

(e) The importance of possessing a sense of humour.

In a history paper they are asked to show very briefly the historical significance of the following:—The coronation of Charlemagne; the mission of St. Columba; the marriage of Henry II. of England; the battle of Agincourt; the divorce of Catherine of Aragon; the National Covenant (1638); the Act of Settlement; the Fall of the Bastille; the Indian Mutiny; the Franco-British Entente of 1904.

DOCTOR WHO TOOK
WRONG TABLETSEXPLANATION OF
MOTORING OFFENCE.

Dr. Archibald Magill, a medical officer at Pembury Hospital, Tunbridge Wells, was fined £10, with £2 13s. 6d. costs, at Tonbridge recently for driving a car while under the influence of drink or drugs.

He explained that he had recently suffered bad headaches, accentuated by business troubles, and on the night in question intended to take some sodium bromide tablets but took four allonal tablets by mistake. Feeling unwell, he decided to go for a drive to get some fresh air, but could only vaguely remember what happened after that. He was practically an abstainer, but had two or three glasses of sherry that evening because of stomach pains.

Police Constable Tritton said he found Dr. Magill sitting in a car across the road with its back in a hedge.

The Chairman (Mr. G. F. Stacey) said the Bench accepted the explanation but the public must be protected in such cases, accident or no accident.

"A CENSORSHIP
FOR NOVELS"Should Output Be
Restricted?CHILDREN'S BOOKS
THAT BORE

A suggestion that the Library Association should inquire into the possibility of establishing some kind of publication censorship over novels, on the lines of the censorship of films, was made at a recent meeting of the Association held at University College, London.

The suggestion was put forward by the Rev. E. St. G. Schomberg, Deputy Mayor of Westminster. He said that the public had a right to expect from its public libraries the supply of any book that had any kind of claim to be worth reading, but it seemed to him that nowadays there was an increasing output of books which could make no such claim either on literary, intellectual, artistic, educational, or romantic grounds, or, in fact, on any grounds whatever.

The President (Mr. S. A. Pitt, Glasgow) said that the suggestion would be considered. To give any such guidance would call for considerable tact, a great deal of time, and probably would lead to a battle with publishers and others.

Miss M. Watt-Smith deplored the fact that so little effort was made to find out what the modern child preferred to read and to correlate his tastes to the books circulated by librarians.

"The most noticeable gap in contemporary juvenile book provision is the absence of any satisfactory books for children between the ages of ten and fourteen."

"After a couple of years spent reading the better class fairy tales the modern girl turns to something a little more grown up. And what is there? Just school stories; badly written, of doubtful morale, the plot usually taken from petty jealousies and snobberies far



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The famous Brangwyn panels, painted for the House of Lords' war memorial, and rejected, amid great controversy, were sent recently from London to Swansea, where they will be placed in the Assembly Hall of the new Civic Centre.

The Brangwyn panels, which number 16, were commissioned in 1925 by the late Lord Iveagh, who intended to present them to the House of Lords. Mr. Brangwyn's



The camera records a violent episode during the recent fatal Communist rioting in Amsterdam, Holland. Here is an officer, felled by a flying missile, as he toppled seriously injured from a car which was rushing police reinforcements into the riot zone.

divorced from the life of the average schoolgirl.

LURID READING.

"Is it any wonder that after the boredom of reading a thousand school stories the girl turns to something lurid on reaching the adult library?"

The major fault of many boys' books was that they were out of date. Henry and his contemporaries were going at last, but too slowly. The modern boys' book was better than the modern girls' book, but it was not perfect.

There was a large output of nature books, though the majority of children saw the country each year for a few hours only and spent their lives facing four walls and a chimney. Yet we expected them to enjoy reading about the nesting habits of the pied wagtail.

They wanted more technical books, more books on games playing, more travel books, which took a good look instead of just peeping, and, above all, more good history books and biographies, with not so much insistence on battles, empires, soldiers, and sailors.

Parents, teachers, and librarians chose the wrong books for children, and were partly to blame for the popularity of "penny dreadfuls."

A male delegate expressed the opinion that the English classics were part of the structure of our lives, and were part of our heritage.

"Yes," retorted Miss Watt-

Smith, "they are our heritage but not the children's heritage. They were not written for children."

The President spoke of the need for further legislation to improve library administration.

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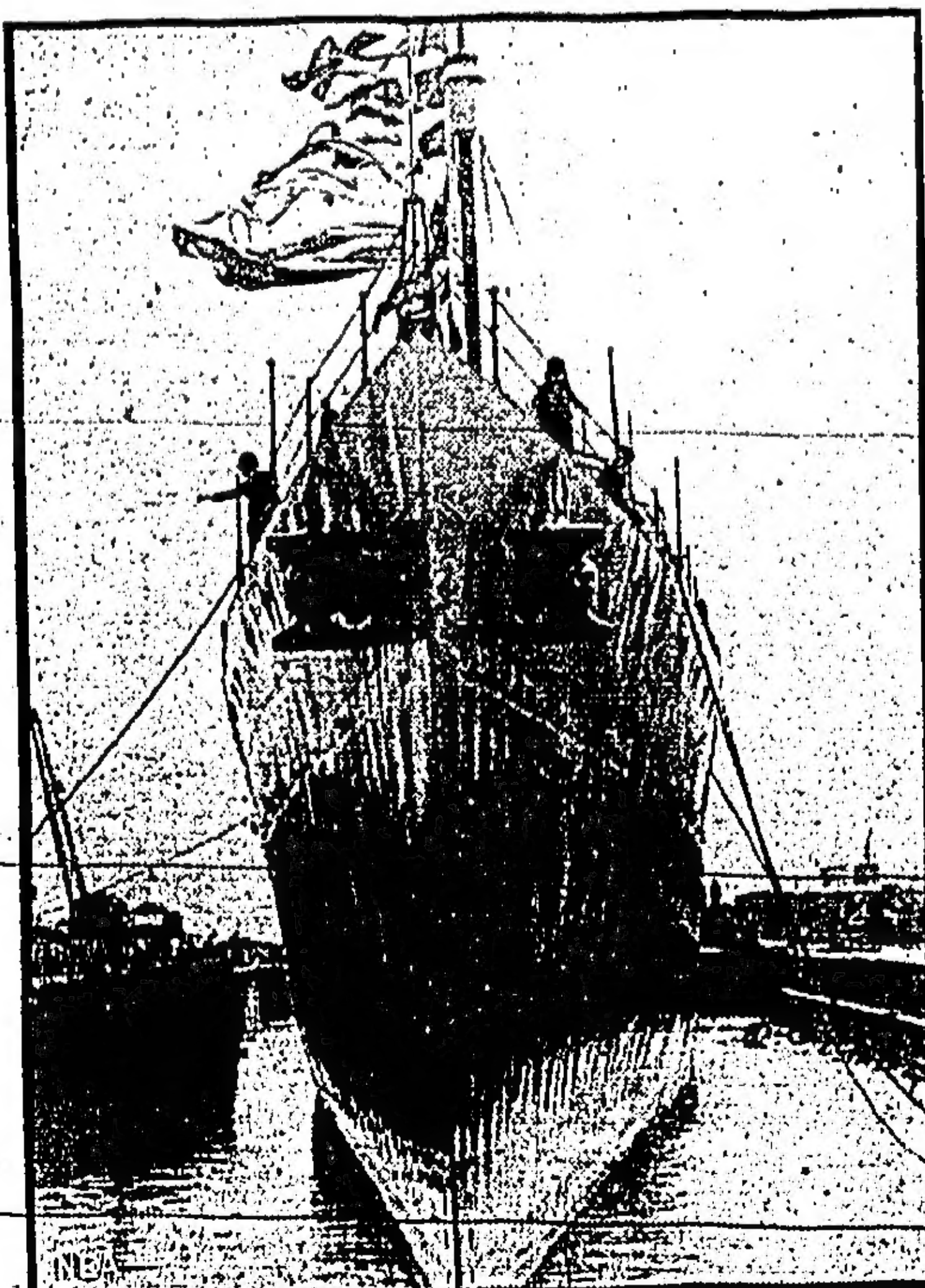
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INTEGRITY OF AUSTRIA

MUSSOLINI GIVES ASSURANCE

Milan, Oct. 7.
"We have defended, and will con-
tinue to defend, Austrian indepen-
dence," Il Duce said, when address-
ing a huge assemblage here to-
day.

Continuing, Signor. Mussolini
said that either hostility or friend-
ship must be the policy.

It will be impossible to im-
prove our relations with Yugo-
slavia if that nation continues to
wound Italy to the core, he declar-
ed.

Il Duce added that it was im-
possible to conceive any develop-
ment in European history without
Germany, because Germany, could
not be estranged from the course
of history. It would be necessary,
however, for some trends in Ger-
man policies to be changed before
international accord could be reach-
ed.

Premier Mussolini revealed that
a Franco-Italian agreement would
be ready for signature by the end
of the month or early in November,
although, during the course of his
speech, he made it clear that no
agreement had been finalised as yet.

He hoped that important develop-
ments would follow the visit of M.
Louis Barthou, the French Minister
for Foreign Affairs, who would ar-
rive in Rome at the end of the
month.

"Our relations with France," de-
clared Il Duce, "have notably im-
proved and the atmosphere is much
better. Accord between the two
countries will be useful to the
whole of Europe."

"Citizen Henderson" has good
intentions," he added, "but will not
succeed in resurrecting the Disar-
mament Conference.

"We have got to face the fact,
however we dislike it, that Disar-
mament through the conference is
definitely dead and the conference
is buried."—Reuter and United
Press.

NET CLOSING IN

HAUPTMANN IDENTIFIED BY HOPWELL MAN.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 7.
Further damaging evidence
against Richard Hauptmann,
who will stand trial at the
Bronx Court on October 10 in
connection with the kidnapping of
the Lindbergh baby, has been
obtained for the prosecution, ac-
cording to District Attorney
Schwartzkopf.

A resident of Hopewell named
Willard Whitehead has, said the
District Attorney, positively
identified Hauptmann as a man he
saw near the Lindbergh home
there.

This is considered to be one of
the most incriminating pieces of
evidence yet obtained by Justice
Department investigators.

Whitehead is a carpenter who
resides close to the Lindbergh
estate. He says that he saw a
man in the vicinity between Feb-
ruary 18 and February 29, 1932,
and District Attorney Schwartz-
kopf says that Whitehead's de-
scription tallies with Hauptmann's.

After giving information to the
police, Whitehead was taken to the
Bronx jail and he picked Haupt-
mann from a line-up of ten men,
saying "He's the one."—United
Press.

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CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

Davy Barnaby, who is so well
known to all listeners-in, is at the
head of a great cast of radio stars
appearing in the British Lion picture
"On the Alert" which opened yesterday
at the Queen's Theatre. He and
Reginald take the part of radio per-
formers embarking on an incognito
holiday. After refusing to buy a
portable wireless set, they proceed to
steep themselves in romance. For
Reginald falls for the beautiful Betty
Astell, proprietress of the lovely
country inn. They decide to stay at
the inn, but fame has preceded them
and Ayona the chambermaid, stages
an act for them in the hope that they
might help her in her radio aspira-
tions. The "boots" expect from a
boots, such as Max Wall, dances
superbly. They are also regaled with
choice excerpts from the repertoire of
a wandering minstrel, ably "played"
by Mario de Pietro. But upon the
peace steals the angular figure of the
Rev. Hugh, who recognises the
two act blackmailers, them into doing
an act at his village concert that eve-
ning. The concert, with the Rev.
Hugh as compere, proves a great
success, as it well should, for the pro-
gramme is compiled from very well-
known names. With the exception, saxo-
phone and drums; Eve Becke sings a
song in her own inimitable style;
Harry Champion, that grand old
soldier, renders two of his greatest
successes, Betty Astell follows with
a song after which Scott and Whaley
have a slight spot of bother. Derek
O'Han, the owner of a golden voice,
charms us with his beautiful ballads,
Wilson, Keppell & Betty stage one of
the most original dances ever seen
and the programme ends with a duet
by our two friends—Reggie and
Davy. After a good night's sleep the
two act to purchase a week-end
bungalow, but abruptly change their
mind when they run into Messrs.
Clapham & Dwyer at the Estate
Agent's. That evening they proceed
to surprise Betty by taking her to an
up-to-date cabaret show at the Man-
dolin, presided over by the marvellous
music of Roy Fox and his band.
And what a cabaret! Before the eyes
of the lovely Betty pass the cream of
entertainers—Laurie Devine, the
wonderfully graceful dancer, Jimmy
Jude, a dancer of a more specta-
cular type, and none the less, a
Juno Carr in an amusing impersona-
tion and last but not least the beauty
of Buddy Bradley's Rhythm Girls.
Roy Fox and his instrumentalists give
us of their best and what could be
better? "On the Alert" is a film that
is certain to be voted the film of the
year by even the most jaded pic-
turegoer.

"Where Sinners Meet"
Re-titled "Where Sinners Meet",
A.A. Milne's religious stage play,
has been filmed by RKO-Radio. The picture,
which co-stars Diana Wynyard and Clive
Brook, is of "Cavaliers" fame, and
features Billie Burke, is showing to-
day at the King's Theatre. Merian
C. Cooper, in charge of production at
RKO-Radio, had this to say regard-
ing "Where Sinners Meet": "There
is no reason why a successful stage
play cannot be made into a talking
picture hit. We have, I think, proven
that they can be with such pictures as
"A Bill of Divorcement," "The Silver
Cord," "Splinter," and "The Man in
the Moon." The production has been
laboriously staged and brilliantly cast
with Miss Wynyard as the elop-
ing wife, Alan Mowbray as her
lover, and Reginald Owen as Miss
Wynyard's lover, and Miss Burke
as a woman with high character and
frozen serenity is characterized by
Gilbert Emery, Walter Armitage,
Robert Adair, Phyllis Barry and
Katherine Williams.

"Viva Villa!"
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ing cast has Greta Nison, Francis
Ford, Warner Richmond, Gaylord
Pendleton, Alan Edwards and Nigel
De Bruiler. Louis King has done an
able job of direction.

"Viva Villa!"
Music of Mexico—sentimental,
ribald, gay—plays an interesting part
in "Viva Villa!" starring Wallace
Bowers the feature attraction at the
Queen's Theatre from Wednesday.
The folk songs of the southern
republic, which are sung at various
times during the film, is added a
sentimental number, "Madre Mia," by
Herbert Stothart, noted compo-
ser, played on the guitar and sung by
Betty herself! It is Betty's first
singing role on the screen. Other
tunes sprinkled through the specta-
cular story include "La Cucaracha,"
the ribald story of the adventures of
the little cockroach, which has been
sung in Mexico for generations. It is
a rollicking tune. "Viva Villa!" is a
fictional narrative of the life and loves
of Panchito Villa, the Mexican peon
who rose out of slavery and obscurity
to become a great revolutionary
leader. It follows his career from his
boyhood to his assassination—a trage-
dy that shocked the world. With
Wallace Bowers as such notables as
Leo Carrillo, Fay Wray, Donald Cook,
George Stone, Katherine De Mille,
Frank Puglia and Henry Armetta.

RADIO BROADCAST

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wavelengths may be changed in the course of
the day, transmissions. Announcements
will be made at frequent intervals—

Call Sign Frequency Wavelength
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GSD 11,700 k.c. 25.61 metres

7 p.m. Time Signal from Big Ben. The
Western Studio Orchestra, directed
by Frank Cantell, from a
Carillon studio.

7.45 p.m. Operatic programme (gramo-
phone records). Time Signal
from Greenwich at 12.0 noon.

8.30 p.m. An organ recital.
9 p.m. A sports talk.
9.15 p.m. The Northern Studio Orchestra,
directed by John Brider, from a
Manchester studio.

9.45 p.m. News Bulletin.

TRANSMISSION 4.
Two of the following frequencies and wave-
lengths will be used simultaneously, but the
wavelengths may be changed in the course of
the day, transmissions. Announcements
will be made at frequent intervals—

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GSR 11,600 k.c. 25.83 metres
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2 a.m. Time Signal from Big Ben. News
Bulletin.

2.15 a.m. Interlude of gramophone re-
cords.

2.30 a.m. The Bridgewater Harp Quintet.
2.45 a.m. The Signal from Greenwich. Meet
Dr. Fu Manchu, a talk.

2.15 a.m. Variety programme.
4 a.m. Time Signal from Greenwich. The
Wireless-Military Band, con-
ductor, Dr. Walton O'Donnell.

4.45 a.m. Carroll Gibson Band.
4.55 a.m. Scottish Military Band.
5 a.m. News Bulletin.

5.15-5.45 a.m. Orchestral Concert, conducted
by Julius Harrison.

CHURCH'S PART IN KEEPING PEACE

(Continued from Page 6.)

shall make an inviolable peace be-
tween them the world over.
And if there are still Christians
who read this article and who
imagine that such a policy involves
disloyalty to one's country, let
them read again the manual issued
by the British War Office, to which
reference has been made. Let
them ask themselves whether, by
indulgence in such war for any
conceivable reason, any country
can any longer guarantee its own
safety, further the cause of civiliza-
tion, or even guard its honour.
We know it last with grim finality
that "the wages of sin is death."

casts Dorothy Lee, Thelma Todd,
Noah Beery, Henry Sedley and Robert
Greig. Will Jason and Val Burton
wrote the music and lyrics.

"I Am A Fugitive From A
Chain Gang"

One of the most heralded motion pic-
tures is now being presented at the
Oriental Theatre. It is "I Am A
Fugitive From A Chain Gang," star-
ring Paul Muni, with Helen Vinson,
Glenda Farrell, Preston Foster,
David Landau, Sally Blane, Noel
Francis, 37 other important roles, 53
"bit" players and more than 2,000
extras. Not only is "I Am A
Fugitive From A Chain Gang" said to
carry more thrilling and sensational
episodes than any other picture made
this year but presents a triple
romance of strange and glamorous
loves, against a background of in-
credible prison chain gang brutalities.

The story, which was authored by
Robert E. Burns, who is still in hiding
from chain gang police, shows men
driven to desperation by the tortures
of the whipping post, poor food, ex-
cessive labors in broiling heat and
other cruelties. Paul Muni, as the
fugitive, makes a sensational escape
and crosses into another state.

After years of struggle, he makes
good under an assumed name, but a
woman who discovers his past, be-
trays him. He is returned to the
chain gang only to escape, again in
one of the most breath-taking episodes
of the current season.

"Life in the Raw," the New Zane
Grey story with George O'Brien in
the featured role, is a worthy vehicle
for the combined efforts of the lead-
ing writer and the leading portrayer of
western

WEEK-END WARFARE IN SPAIN

Government Troops In Ascendancy

Madrid, Oct. 7. At 8 p.m. the reports of the declaration of a Catalan Republic were confirmed, when Senor Companys, the President of the Catalan Council, proclaimed the formation of a Catalan Free State.

He announced that a Provisional Government would be formed, including Senor Manuel Azana and Senor Maura and other Left Wing Republicans.

The new Government, he announced, would replace the Madrid Government in Catalonia.—United Press.

Azana as "President."

Madrid, Oct. 7. The title "Catalan State Spanish Federal Republic" was given to the new provisional Government, which, with Senor Azana as its President, held a Cabinet meeting and declared the Lerroux administration in Madrid unconstitutional.—Reuter.

"Down With Lerroux."

Barcelona, Oct. 7. The proclamation of the Catalan Republic was preceded by exciting scenes.

Demonstrators marched through the streets of Barcelona, carrying banners and shouting slogans, demanding the Catalan Republic and "Down with Lerroux."

President Companys made a declaration from the Government Palace, affirming the will of the Catalan state Government to defend the "Republic" and to break off all relations with the institutions governing Spain.

He declared the State Government had proclaimed a Catalan Free State of the union of the Iberian republics.

A Catalan lawyer took possession of the Barcelona Law Courts in the name of the Catalan Republic.—Reuter.

Mayor Injured.

Madrid, Oct. 7. Further fighting has broken out in several provinces.

The Mayor of Tarragona was seriously injured and three Civil Guards were killed in an affray with agitators.

One was killed and 25 injured when the police stormed and captured the Town Hall from the insurgents.—Reuter.

Martial Law Enforced

Madrid, Oct. 6. Following a period of quiet, heavy firing occurred in Madrid shortly after midnight, and reports from Bilbao, Buzas and Leon indicated that fighting had resumed in those centres.

Shortly before midnight, Premier Lerroux, in a dramatic radio broadcast, proclaimed that martial law was in force throughout Spain.

The announcement followed street clashes, in which guns were used by both sides, in the heart of Madrid, when the rebels attempted to capture the Ministries of the Interior, Communications, Public Works and the Telephone Building.

Following brisk fighting, Gov-

ernment forces repulsed the attacks.

In the course of his broadcast announcement, Premier Lerroux said that the imposition of Martial Law throughout Spain had become necessary through the unpatriotic action of the Government of Catalonia in declaring its independence.

The Premier appealed to the people of Spain to rally to the Government, and expressed confidence that the Spanish people would unite as one man.

The revolutionary movement, he added, was confined to Catalonia and the Asturias.

The new Secretary for Home Affairs immediately afterwards broadcast the Martial Law regulations, which included the commandeering of all motor lorries, private cars, and motor cycles, the unauthorized use of which, he said, was totally prohibited.—Reuter and United Press.

Catalan Republic

Barcelona, Oct. 6. While the Secretary for Home Affairs was making his momentous announcement over the radio that Martial Law had been imposed throughout Spain, fierce fighting was in progress in Barcelona and throughout Catalonia.

Central Government troops from the Barcelona garrison shortly before midnight sent an ultimatum to the Catalan Youth's organizations, ordering them to surrender control of the city.

The ultimatum met with a blank refusal, and a State of War was immediately declared. Troops, which included artillery divisions, attacked the Government Palace and bombarded the Barcelona Broadcasting Station, which was sending out messages urging the Catalans to resist.

Government reinforcements, in desperate efforts to stem the rising tide of rebellion, were rushed to the city, and severe casualties were suffered by both sides.—Reuter.

Bombardment Ordered.

Barcelona, Oct. 7. A squadron of five warships, stationed at Cartagena, was ordered to proceed at full speed to Barcelona when news of the outbreak there reached Madrid.

Meanwhile, General Batet, who is commanding the Central Government troops in Catalonia, sent an ultimatum to the Catalan President, Senor Companys, ordering him to surrender immediately. The ultimatum declared that, failing immediate surrender, he would bombard the Government Palace.

When the time set by the ultimatum expired without reply from the rebels, a bombardment of the Palace was ordered by General Batet.

His forces occupied the civil aerodrome early this morning, and the main bombardment was directed from there.—Reuter.

Rebels Capitulate.

Madrid, Oct. 7. Following a long bombardment, the rebels surrendered to General Batet.

Their intention to surrender was broadcast by Senor Companys from Generalidad Palace, in which the rebels withstood the government bombardment for some hours.

In his dramatic broadcast Senor Companys announced that he capitulated to the Government forces "since means of resistance were exhausted, and surrender

was the only way to avoid further sacrifices."

The rebels, leaving their arms in the Palace marched out, those who escaped unscathed carrying their less fortunate comrades.

Senor Companys was immediately arrested and will be brought to trial. The Government also ordered the arrest of Dr. Manuel Azana, the anti-clericalist Catalan rebel leader. The arrest of all Catalan Ministers was also ordered.

News of the sudden ending to the revolt in Barcelona was received with enthusiasm at the Home Office in Madrid, where members of the new Lerroux Cabinet waited all night long.

Careworn Ministers jumped from their chairs with excited shouts of "Long Live Spain."

The Minister for Public Instruction announced that the situation in Asturias however, in view of the control, and troops are being despatched to the storm centres from Valencia.—Reuter.

Fighting Continues.

Barcelona, Oct. 7. Although Generalidad Palace has surrendered, fighting is continuing in the lower parts of the city.

Col. Companys is reported to be among the fifteen wounded during the bombardment of the Palace.

Fifty wounded have been removed from another building occupied by the rebels.

A bloody battle occurred when rebels attacked the naval and air force barracks. Casualties are given as 20 killed and seventy wounded.—Reuter.

Cabinet Arrested.

Madrid, Oct. 7. All members of the Catalan Government have been arrested except the Home Minister, Senor Dencas.

The fate of Senor Azana, who was reported to have thrown in his lot with the rebels in uncertainty.

It is understood that President Zamora personally intervened to save President Companys of Catalonia from immediate Court Martial and execution. Companys actually defied two ultimatums. After the first had been ignored, General Batet's troops opened a rifle fire which lasted for half an hour. A second ultimatum was issued, and this was also ignored.

The leader of the Government troops then ordered the artillery to be brought into action. A heavy bombardment quickly led to surrender.

A Cabinet meeting in Madrid at mid-day will decide whether Companys will be tried by military tribunal or handed over to the Tribunal of Constitutional Guarantees.—Reuter.

Regiment Mutiny.

Paris, Oct. 7. A Spanish Regiment is reported to have mutinied at Gerona in North Catalonia. The General commanding, two majors, and a captain have been murdered.

General Batet has left hurriedly for Gerona.—Reuter.

Cheering Crowds.

Madrid, Oct. 7. Senor Lerroux, addressing a cheering crowd from the balcony of the Home Office this afternoon declared that the revolt in Catalonia and Asturias was completely under control.—Reuter.

Foreign Legionnaires.

Gibraltar, Oct. 7. Two battalions of the Spanish



Joe E. Brown as Two Gun Jones, the funniest cowboy ever to run wild. This scene is from his latest First National picture, "The Tenderfoot," coming to the Alhambra on Wednesday.

CHINA'S SORROW.

YELLOW RIVER CONTINUES TO RISE

Peiping, Oct. 7. The Yellow River flood is spreading over a wide area in Southern Hopei, according to a message from Changwen.

Some sections of the dykes, which have just been repaired after the receding of a previous flood, have collapsed again, as a result of the continuous rising of the river.

The flood water is rushing northward and sweeping away numerous native houses. Inhabitants in the flooded districts are fleeing in all directions.—Central News Agency.

Foreign Legion arrived at Algeiras from Ceuta this morning, and were immediately ordered to proceed to Barcelona.—Reuter.

Diplomats Resign

Madrid, Oct. 7. Senor Zulueta, Spanish Ambassador to Berlin and Senor Barnes, Spanish Ambassador to Mexico, both Left Wing Republicans, have resigned owing to disagreement with the Lerroux Government.—Reuter.

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THE BOOKSHELF

"A MANCHU MONARCH"

In "A Manchu Monarch: An Interpretation of China's History," published by George Allen and Unwin, London, at 7s. 6d., A. E. Grantham gives an engrossing study of the Emperor of China to whom Lord Amherst, the head of the British Mission in 1816, refused to kowtow. The tribulations and idiosyncrasies of this old-time ruler, the great-grandfather of Emperor Kang Teh of Manchukuo, are brought into relief in this work, which is based on documentary evidence of contemporary memoirs and the official Court annals, to which the author adds a personal knowledge of the old Imperial palaces, gained as the result of a thirteen-year stay in China. The book is of interest not only because the light it throws on China's life and policies, but also by reason of the admirable study of the period of his reign. The chapter on the ill-starred Amherst Mission shows how badly this enterprise was bungled and illustrates vividly how both sides were to blame for a well-conceived idea which was destined to be little short of a fiasco. Assessing China's contribution to his day and age, the author says: "Neither highly gifted nor a born ruler, he yet had the courage and the strength to make himself sufficiently disagreeable to ensure obedience to his commands. That, among men prone to slip into disintegrating laxity, was in itself worth a great deal. In addition, many of his decrees possess a full measure of that clear-sighted common sense combined with scrupulous attention to detail characteristic of the early Manchus. Allowing for the imperfections of a world far removed from Paradise, and discounting the painful process of his apprenticeship, his reign had finally matured into deserving the name Chien Lung had chosen for it—'bountiful and blessed.'"

"TAINTED LOVE"

"Tainted Love," by W. D. Chen-see (Arthur H. Stockwell, Ltd., London; 2/-) is a romantic little story written by a resident of Hongkong. Comprising just over thirty pages, it can have no pretensions to being a novel, but is rather a short story in narrative form, with practically no plot whatever. Distinctly amateurish in theme and treatment, it cannot be said to possess literary merit, but it may be found of interest to a limited circle of readers by reason of the fact that it is set in Hongkong and contains many references to well-known local places.

"ALL ABOUT SHANGHAI"

"All About Shanghai and Environs," published by the University Press, Shanghai, at \$2.50, is a most attractive standard guide book, freely illustrated with maps and photographs and containing historical and contemporary facts and statistics presented in a most readable form. Containing over two hundred pages, it is admirably assembled and of convenient size. As the first of what is to be an annual publication, it is a credit to its producers. Subsequent issues, it is interesting to note, will contain a special section devoted to Hongkong—a welcome move in view of the fact that the attractions of this Colony are not nearly so widely known as they should be.

"THE COUNTRYMAN"

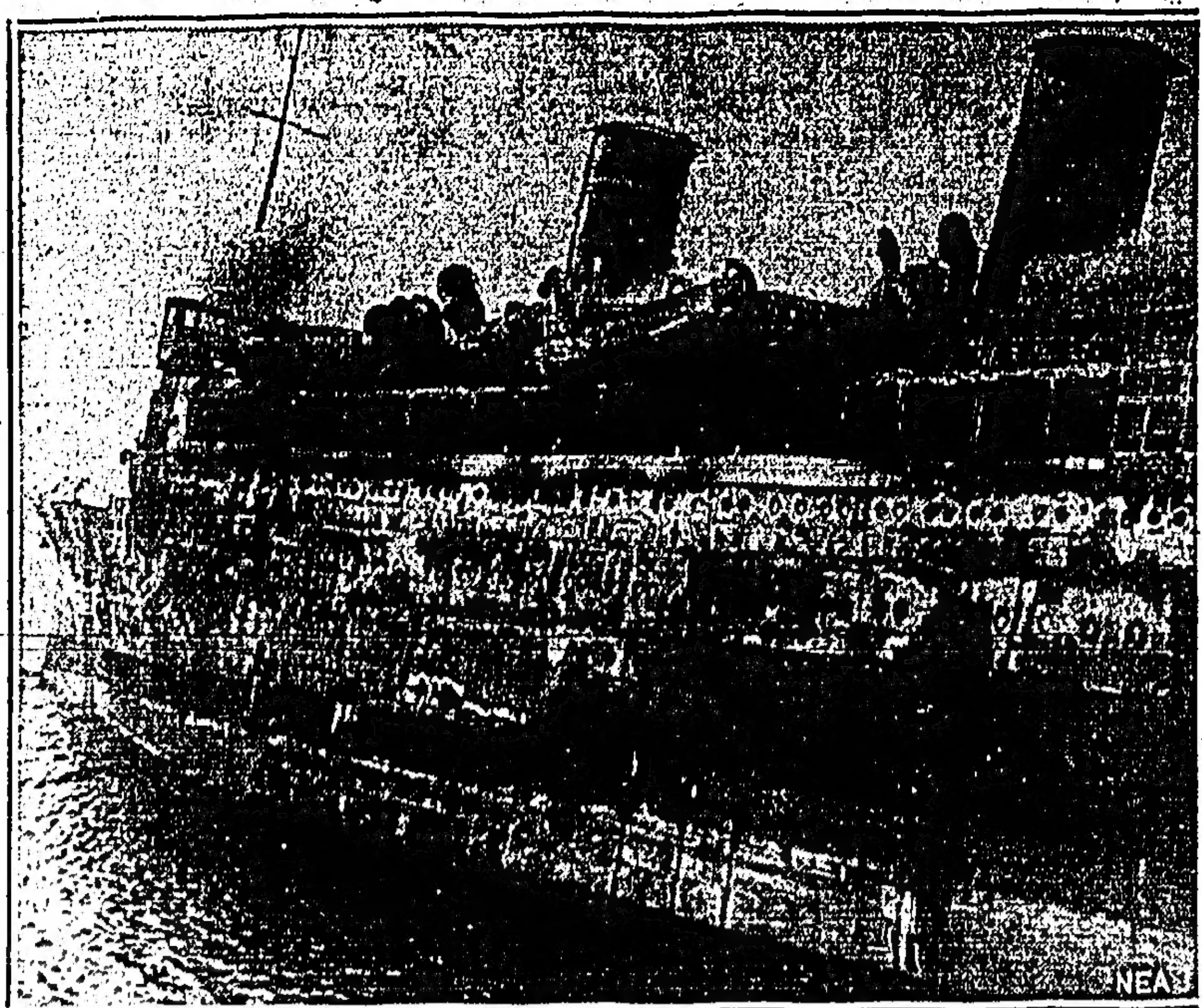
With every issue, that attractive half-century quarterly review of English rural life and industry, "The Countryman" gets better and better, both in the variety and compelling interest of its contents and in the dimensions of the volumes. The October-December number, which starts Volume Ten, contains no fewer than 384 pages, covering all aspects of life in the English countryside, as well as much of real literary value. No British exile who looks back longingly to the Old Country should fail to subscribe to this distinctive little quarterly, so ably edited by J. W. Robertson Scott from strikingly rural headquarters at Idbury, Kingham, in Oxfordshire.

REDS TRAPPED

GOVERNMENT TROOPS PUSH OFFENSIVE

Nanchang, Oct. 7. The Anti-Red Headquarters at Nanchang to-day issued a communique announcing the capture of Chiehcheng, an important point to the north of Changting on the Kiangsi-Fukien border, from the hands of the Reds.

It is further stated that the city of Shiehcheng fell early yesterday and that part of the North Route Anti-Red Expeditionary forces have entered the city. The fall of Shiehcheng means the envelopment of Changting on three sides, as the North Route Anti-Red forces are able to effect a conjunction with the East Route forces, which are thrusting on toward Changting.—Central News Agency.



A GROUP OF THE RED-ROCKERS SHIP SHOWING THE INTENSITY OF THE DISASTER THAT OVERTOOK THE LINER. Its metal plates are laid bare by flames that oared out of stateroom portholes and voraciously consumed the plating paint that identified it as one of the best maintained ships on the seas. The intensity of the flames that trapped passengers in the "A" rooms can be judged from the twisted and charred hulk of the boats left hanging in their davits because the unbearable furnace heat made launching impossible.

ISAKO'S CIRCUS

ENTERTAINMENT OF UNUSUAL MERIT

The visit of almost any type of performing troupe which breaks the dull monotony of Hongkong's routine amusements is welcome, but when that visit is paid by such a high class entertainment as Isako's Circus, it is doubly welcome.

A circus is no new thing to Hongkong, but it can be safely claimed that Isako's troupe of human and animal performers constitute one of the best entertainments seen here for very many years.

There is a most praiseworthy attempt to make every item original, and in achieving this there is also put into the turns during skit and riotous comedy.

Saturday's opening night was a huge success, despite the threatening weather and the haste in which everything had to be prepared. The programme of nearly 20 numbers was presented without a hitch and completely minus those tiresome intervals which are not unknown in circus entertainments.

Quite apart from the individual skill of the performers, the variety of turns was sufficient to keep the interest and enjoyment of the spectator at a high pitch.

Among the more spectacular offerings were the Cossack horseback stunts, the tight-rope walker, the Chinese acrobats and the horseback conjurer. These, together with the talented lady artists and the clowns, offered uninterrupted fun and entertainment to an encouraging attendance.

The proof of the excellence of the show is that it makes one want to see it again.

LO WEN-KAN'S SUCCESSOR

NO APPOINTMENT YET MADE

Shanghai, Oct. 8. No decision has been reached as to the identity of the man who will succeed Dr. Lo Wen-kan, who recently resigned from the post of Minister of Justice when the work of his office was taken over by the Judicial Yuan.

Mr. Chu Cheng, President of the Judicial Yuan, on his arrival here yesterday, stated that the matter was being considered and that an early announcement might be expected.—Reuter.

WELSH MINE DISASTER FUND

Hongkong List Now Closed

The following donations to the Lord Mayor of London's Fund on behalf of the sufferers and dependents in the Wrexham mine disaster are acknowledged with thanks:

Already acknowledged \$402.09, Mr. J. W. Franks 10.00.

The local Fund is now closed, and the sum raised is being forwarded by T.T. to London.

DEATH OF CAPT. P. GRUNBERG

PASSES AWAY IN HOSPITAL

The death occurred at the Kowloon Hospital yesterday evening of Captain Peter Grunberg, at the age of 61 years. He was operated on for appendicitis last year, but recently complications set in and another operation was performed. Despite hopes of recovery, he passed away.

The late Captain Grunberg resided at No. 4 United Terrace, Homantin, Kowloon. A native of Latvia, he went to sea at the age of fourteen and after a few years went to England where he was employed by a British shipping firm for nine years. He returned to Latvia and later to Vladivostok where he worked for a Russian company. After the revolution he went to Shanghai and arrived in Hongkong in 1926.

Much sympathy will be extended to his widow, one daughter (married), and two sons, one of whom is in America and the other in engineering student at the Hongkong University.

The funeral takes place this afternoon, passing the Monument, at 3.45 o'clock.

ROBBERY ATTEMPT AT MONASTERY

COOLIE'S GUNSHOT WOUND

A robbery attempted early this morning on the Tung Po Tai Monastery at Castle Peak. Tsun Wan, was accompanied by the wondrous of an inmate, a coolie named Wong Ching-shing, who received a gunshot wound in the left hand and also a stab wound inflicted by another of the gang of six men who carried out the raid.

The scuffle, which occurred in the yard when the robbers encountered the coolie, aroused Man Fung, a monk, who lost no time in making use of his police whistle, scared away from their designs, the men fled from the place, the last seen of them being when they disappeared up the Shing Mun Road.

NULLAH MURDER APPEAL

(Continued from Page 1.) the accused seized Mary Pine by the neck.

Leave to appeal was then given.

POINTS OF APPEAL.

Mr. Lim then put forward the three points on which the appeal was based. They were as follows:

(1) That the trial judge wrongly refused to withdraw the case from the jury at the close of the case for the Crown on the submission that there was no evidence to be left to them;

(2) That the trial judge should, on the Crown's failure to produce Mary Pine, have discharged the jury and ordered a new trial;

(3) That the verdict was against the weight of the evidence.

The hearing is proceeding.

Fire broke out at No. 9 Stone Nullah Lane, Wanchai, last night and partially burnt a wooden partition on the verandah of an upper floor. It was extinguished. The outbreak was caused by paper being burnt at a joss-offering.

KOWLOON TONG WEDDING

MR. J. F. MIU AND MISS A. A. LEUNG

The marriage took place on Saturday, at St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, of Mr. Jack Francis Miu, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Miu Yung-kong, and Miss Alice Agnes Leung, fourth daughter of the late Mr. Leung Yung-kwong and Mrs. Leung.

Rev. Fr. N. Mastrini officiated at the ceremony and at the Nuptial Mass that followed immediately afterwards, and the Rev. Fr. A. Granelli presided at the organ. Miss Agnes Miu was bridesmaid and the duties of best man were carried out by Mr. Thomas M. Cheng. A large gathering of relatives and friends were present at the Church, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and were entertained later at a reception and banquet given the same evening at the Kwong Chow Restaurant, Shektongsui.

CHINA WON'T OBJECT

If Legations Become Embassies

Nanking, Oct. 8. Commenting on the recent reports alleging that both the British and American Governments are contemplating elevation of their respective legations at Peking to the status of Embassies, a spokesman of the Nanking Foreign Office declared yesterday that the Chinese Government could see no reason to raise objection if such a step were contemplated.

However, the spokesman added, they had not approached the Chinese Government officially.—Central News.

LOAN CONTRACT CANCELLED

SZECHUEN'S QUARREL WITH BRITISH BANK

Shanghai, Oct. 8. The Shanghai office of the Chu Hsing Cheng Bank, a Szechuen firm, has declared that the bank has cancelled its contract with a certain British firm in London for a loan to be devoted to economic development of Szechuen.

In so doing, the Chu Hsing Cheng Bank hopes to placate the public, which has raised strong opposition on the ground that the loan terms are inimical to the rights and interests of China.—Central News.

One case of diphtheria (imported) was reported to the local health authorities on Friday.

A lecture will be given by Professor W. Brown to the H.K. University Education Society on Friday, November 2, at 8.30 p.m., in Room K of the University.

Mr. G. Lank was the winner of the biggest prize at the military charity tombola held on Saturday night at the Garrison Lecture Hall, while Sergeant C. Best and Mrs. Gould were again successful.

RADIO BROADCAST

Travel Talk from Studio By "Globe Trotter."

Z. E. K. PROGRAMME.

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (846 kilocycles).

5-8 p.m. European Programme.

5-6 p.m. (Approx.) A Relay of the Band of the 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster C. Elliott, A.M.C., from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by kind permission of Lieut. Colonel H. E. Williams, D.S.O., M.C.

6-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.08-7.25 p.m. Vocal Gems.

Peggy Ann (Rodgers).

The Girl Friend (Rodgers).

Light Opera Company.

Wild Violet (Stolz).

Maria Elmer and Martin Kraemer of the State Opera Dresden, with Chorus and Orchestra.

7.25-7.40 p.m. Piano Recital by Sergei Rachmaninoff.

1. Dance of the Gnomes (Liszt).

2. Etude, Tableau in A Minor, Op. 39 (Rachmaninoff).

3. One, Lives but Once—Waltz (Strauss).

7.40-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Talk on "The Arcadia of the East" by the Globe Trotter.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.05-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

8.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby-Mid-day Press News, etc.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

All Relays of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestra are by courtesy of the Management.

8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded Programme from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 640 kilocycles.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Carnival Suite, Op. 9 (Schumann).

London Symphony Orchestra Conducted by Sir London Ronald.

1. Preamble; 2. Pierrot; 3. Arioso; 4. Valse Noble; 5. Eusebius; 6. Florestan; 7. Coquette; 8. Papillons; 9. Lettres d'annantes; 10. Charming; 11. Chypre; 12. Estrella; 13. Reconnaissance; 14. Fantasia on Colombine; 15. Valse Allemande; 16. Paganini; 17. Aveu; 18. Promenade; 19. Payer; 20. Marche des Davidbinder contre les Philistins.

8.55-9.12 p.m. Old Tunes.

Violet Lorraine—Medley.

Violet Lorraine (Comedienne).

What's Yours?—A Convivial Medley (arr. Debroy Somers).

Debroy Somers Band.

9.12-9.30 p.m. Variety.

Song Carnival of 1932 Stars.

Debroy Somers Band, Flanagan and Allen, Carlyle Cousins and Dan Donovan, Peggy Wood, and Albert Sandler and his Orchestra.

Fox-Trot—Good-Bye Again.

Isham Jones and his Orchestra.

Piano Solos—Piano Pic (No. 2).

George Scott-Wood.

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9.35-10 p.m. Grand Opera.

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Aria—"Jeune d'Age"—Adieu, Foret, (Farewell, ye Mountains) (Technikowsky).

Maria Jeritz (Soprano).

Orchestral—"Samson and Delilah"—Bucchanale (Saint-Saens).

Orchestral—"Damnation of Faust"—Bakerzy March (Berlioz, Op. 24).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

Aria—"Travinta"—Del Mio Bionello Spiriti (Wild My Dream of Youth) (Verdi), Beniamino Gigli (Tenor).

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WEEK-END SOCCER REVIEWED: GOALS IN PLENTY

CRICKET
SEASON'S
RICH
PAGEANTRY
SOME UNIQUE
FEATURESLANCASHIRE'S
TIMIDNESS

Commenting on the close of the English cricket season, "Watchman," writing in a recent issue of the London Observer, has the following to say:

Little remains of the first-class season beyond those pleasant games known as festival cricket, in which drives and googlies, cuts and sweeps, milled with sea breezes at Scarborough and Folkestone. Even the hundred-and-one inquests on the "It," and "Might," and "Why?" of the Test matches are over, and a backward glance brings into view a rich pageant of varied cricket clothed in splendid uniforms, the batting and the bowling may not always have been perfect—when was it?—but the weather has been wonderful. Most must have grown upon those dismal notice boards which, in other seasons, have announced so frequently that there will be no play before lunch, or that the umpires will inspect the wicket at four o'clock. Another has been an open championship, neck-and-neck till the last month, and a dazzling number of individual triumphs. Of course, we have not had sunshine all the time, literally or metaphorically. There have been many instances of misplaced caution, exaggeration of difficulties, belated declarations, illegally prolonged declarations, and the younger players have again stopped short of their earlier promise. But such things have been too long familiar to cause lasting irritation, and at the worst they are merely interludes.

PERVERSE CAUTION.

Lancashire finished at the head of the counties for the fifth time since the War. They won thirty, which, in a season of exceptionally good wickets, does not at a glance suggest victory. They were in the habit of lingering by the wayside. Yet they were at times severely criticised, even by people who do not imagine that the glory of batting is confined to human hitting. The reason was that when Lancashire had reached the head of the Championship their extreme caution had a touch of perversity. They were the little birds who could sing, and wouldn't.

There are some men born into the world to play steady cricket. They have not the physical qualities to secure quickly. The simple wickets which mean big drives, the quick feet which mean many ways of scoring, have been denied them by nature. They can, however, defend stubbornly, and one or two players of iron defence on a side are valuable. But in a way to prove their true resourcefulness, Watson, when he cares, can drive beautifully. He has most of the strokes. So has Iddon. So has Hopwood. But all too often they treat over-pitched balls as if they were over-pitched. Even Paynter, long a perfect bowler, seldom lets himself go in these days, and although Tyldesley has elegance and power he has dropped some of the strokes which made him an England player more than ten years ago. Enterprise is not encouraged in Lancashire.

TENACITY OF PURPOSE.

Rightly or wrongly, the team made up their mind never to take the curb off their testicles until even a million-to-one chance of defeat had been eliminated. As a consequence their batting was often drab, but although they were not a side to stir the emotions it was impossible not to admire their tenacity of purpose. And if they often made batting look like a toil and a weariness, a painful duty to be carried out at all costs, their fielding had a joyous zest. Their bowling was varied and consistent, but it was the fielding that made the attack formidable on good wickets. Lancashire, in fact, remembered that the ancient maxim, "a run saved is as good as a run made," remains one of cricket's mightiest truths.

In some respects Yorkshire resembled Lancashire. When at the wickets they often played with middle-aged staleness. In the field they became boys again. They chased the ball as if they loved it. Sussex, too, were unwisely alive in the field, although they again passed through a disappointing season, inasmuch as for the third year in succession they failed to win the Championship after being at the head of the counties for a long part of the summer. They were at times handicapped by their own policy. At a period when wins outright, not wins on the first innings, were necessary to them, they aped the ways of Lancashire, and set themselves to avoid defeat before beginning to think of victory. Considering that so far as a prize as fifteen points is awarded for a win on the first innings, with three points given to the opposing side, it is astonishing that so few teams were willing to risk a little to gain a great



Soldier of Germany, who scored a surprise win against Ribbles in the Austin Plate. He was ridden by Deitz.

Local
Football
Results

The following are the results of the Hongkong Football League programme during the week-end.

Division I.	
South China "B" 5 R.A.	1
Hongkong F.C. 1 East Lancs	1
South China "A" 2 Police	1
Division II.	
South China 0 Eastern Ath.	0
East Lancshires 0 Hongkong F.C.	0
I.C.A. 3 Young Indians 2	2
University F.C. 2 Kowloon F.C.	2
S.W.B.'s 3 R.E.	3
Division III.	
East Lancshires 13 Railway Rec.C.	0
Club de Recreio 5 R.E.	5
S.W. Borderers 4 Radio S.C.	3
R.A.F. 2 R.A.O.C.	2
R.A.S.C. 5 R.A.M.C.	5
Lincolns 2 Police	2

LOU GEHRIG
HOMERUN KINGYankee Slugger's 48
Circuit Clouts

New York, Sept. 30. Lou Gehrig of the Yankees to-day was undisputed major league homerun clout for 1934 with a total of 48 homers, 12 under the all-time mark established by his teammate, immortal Babe Ruth, in 1927. Gehrig thus tied the mark run up by Jimmy Fox of the A's, 48, which he achieved in 1933. Fox, however, in 1933, ran up a total for the season of 58, but two under Ruth's all-time record. Fox wound up the 1934 season in second place with a total of 44 four-pitch clouts, four under the total which he rolled up in 1933. Bob Johnson of the A's, Fox's teammate and new rival for hitting honours, finished the season with 34 homers. Hal Trosky of the Indians and Mel Ott of the Giants scored one less, 33.

Other high scorers were Zerk Bonura of the White Sox, Earl Averill of the Indians, Jimmy Collins of the Gards, Babe Ruth of the Yanks and Wally Berger of the Braves. Ruth made 22.

The Interport rifle shooting practice on October 14, October 21 and October 28 will take place at Stonecutters, range at 2.30 p.m. each day. All those who are keen on selection are asked to make an effort to attend these last three practices. Persons intending to participate in the practices must make their own arrangements regarding transportation and ammunition.

A gratifying feature of the season has been the form of Warwickshire and Derbyshire. Not so very long ago they were the doormats of the Championship. Their progress has not been obtrusive. They are not notable for glittering personalities. They are level and well-balanced. Warwickshire have not been so high in the Championship since they rose from fourteenth place to first, and won the Championship for the only time in their history under F. R. Foster's captaincy twenty-three years ago.

The averages tell their own plain tale of a season of exceptionally heavy scoring, the reflection of wickets consistently in favour of the batsman. Hammond for his county made 2,020 runs in twenty innings, with an average of 120.25. There is something of mockery about this record when one remembers his repeated failures in the Test matches. Nothing vital has gone out of him. That is certain. No one is better armed to rise above difficulties or to make the best bowling look poor. Probably he will take a proper revenge on the Australians at the next meeting. Even "W. G." had his lapses.

IS THIS TO BE HOWE'S
BIG SEASON?

These Unfortunate Friendly Matches:
Danger Of Congesting Heavy
League Programme

(By "Veritas").

LAST minute postponements cut the first division programme to a halt during the week-end, yet the rate of scoring in all three divisions remained extraordinary high, and on average was fully up to the unusual mark set last week.

FOR instance, in the course of 14 matches, 72 goals were scored. The week previous 93 goals resulted from 18 matches. Nevertheless 37 goals came from third division games last Saturday, and of these East Lancshires bagged 13. Although the aggregate remained as good, there was not the same consistency of scoring over the entire programme.

IN scoring 13 against the Railway Sports Club (that's 21 goals in two matches the Railway have conceded), the East Lancshires earned the distinction of compiling both the highest scores and the best aggregate for the day.

THE Football Association may become rather chary of local league teams arranging week-end friendly matches with Canton eleven. The Borderers' game with Canton Air Force for instance had far reaching effects, causing the cancellation of the Borderers' game with Kowloon and St. Joseph's encounter with Chinese Athletic.

BECAUSE several of their men were wanted for the Air Force team, the Athletic were unable to field a side against the Saints yesterday.

IN the interests of the league programme it is to be hoped that local clubs will not arrange too many engagements outside of the Colony. If run through without interruption, the league, cup and shield programme is sufficient to keep clubs fully occupied this winter, and any postponements means only congestion with the accompanying danger of chaos and unplayed games at the end of the season.

YOU can't tell the Club anything about the fakeness of the gods of fortune. A week ago they smiled. On Saturday they grinned, but in a devilish sort of way, and shots which were goals against the Saints, were relegated to the "well tried, hard luck" class against East Lancshires.

AND that's not discrediting the soldiers, whose tireless defending was worthy of some sort of recognition. But it's tough on a team to see jolly good shots rush down, and others just missing their objective.

I HAVE a feeling that this is going to be Albert Howe's big year in local football. He has played better in the first two matches than at any time last season. He is picking up the ball better on the run, and there is a noticeable improvement in his

shooting. On his day Howe is still one of the cleverest centre-forwards in Hongkong, and if he can prolong that day until next February, he is going to head straight for further interport honours.

ALBEIT the Club attack still requires the dashing genius of Ernie Strange. Howe is made to stand too much on his own. With Strange back in the forward line Howe will be relieved of the entire responsibility of scoring goals.

IT will be nothing short of a crime if L. G. Robertson allows rugby to lure him away from soccer. He is a fine type of half back, and allied with Robert Hunt, and later, it is to be hoped, Gamble, helps to complete the best half back line the Club has had

How They
Stand In
The Tables

The following are the placings in the local football league consequent upon the week-end matches.

FIRST DIVISION.

P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
South China "B"	2	2	0	0	7	2
South China "A"	2	2	0	0	7	3
Club de Recreio	2	1	0	1	6	3
East Lancs	2	1	0	2	3	2
Artillery	2	1	1	0	5	2
Police	2	0	1	1	5	1
Athletic	1	0	0	1	5	1
Recreio	1	0	0	1	2	2
St. Joseph's	1	0	1	0	4	0
Borderers	1	0	1	0	1	0
Kowloon	1	0	0	1	4	0
Lincolns	1	0	0	1	2	0
Navy	0	0	0	0	0	0

SECOND DIVISION.

P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
South China	2	2	0	0	9	0
University	2	1	0	1	2	1
Borderers	2	1	0	1	4	3
East Lancs	2	1	0	1	8	5
Navy	1	1	0	0	7	2
Athletic	1	1	0	0	8	2
Lincolns	1	1	0	0	5	3
Artillery	1	1	0	0	2	2
Eastern	2	0	1	1	1	1
Club de Recreio	2	0	1	1	0	5
Police	2	0	2	0	2	0
Kowloon	2	0	2	0	1	8
Young Indians	2	0	2	0	5	10

THIRD DIVISION.

P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
East Lancs	2	2	0	0	15	1
Borderers	2	2	0	0	12	3
Air Force	2	2	0	0	4	0
Lincolns	2	2	0	0	6	3
R.A.S.C.	2	2	0	0	9	4
Radio	2	1	1	0	6	4
Recreio	2	1	1	0	5	5
Police	2	0	2	0	2	4
R.A.M.C.	2	0	2	0	2	7
R.A.O.C.	2	0	2	0	1	6
Engineers	2	0	2	0	1	7
Railway	2	0	2	0	0	21

SOUTH CHINA REVERT TO THEIR
OLD ANTICSSCORE AN UNIMPRESSIVE WIN
AGAINST POLICE

(By "Veritas").

After exciting us to outbursts of unconcealed enthusiasm last week, South China became their old provocative selves yesterday when they engaged the Police at Caroline Hill, and scored a most unsatisfactory win by the odd goal in three.

The inference to be drawn from the game was that without the services of Ip Pak-wah, Tam Kong-pak and Fung King-cheung, South China are but a mediocre team. This may not be strictly true, but there is no gainsaying that with these three players absent, the Caroline Hillites are nowhere near such a formidable side.

Chief trouble yesterday was inability to adapt themselves to unusual conditions. Showers in the early part of the match left the ground surface slippery, and the

since the palmy days of Jimmy Stewart and McTavish.

IT is well nigh impossible to associate this year's East Lancashire team with that which operated last season. The personnel has changed but little, but they have learnt valuable lessons upon which they are now improving.

JUST a little more "punch" in the attack round about the penalty area would make a tremendous difference to the results of their matches. Man for man they compare favourably with the best of local teams. In midfield they can always hold their own; nothing much is given away in defence, approach work by the forwards is snappy and well conceived. The big need is quicker and more accurate shooting.

DEFINITELY a team of promise.

SOUTH China "B" are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet. In fact they burn up the turf with their speed. Splendid little outfit this. Yautful; ambitious in their conception of attack; unhampered by established precedents of "formations." Just a lively bunch of youngsters, who owe slavish allegiance to one precept only, that it's goals which win matches.

THEY rapped the Artillery hard on Saturday, spiking their guns and capturing their forts with practically no opposition.

A LONE figure was Pardoe, the "Guns" centre-half (who has so much natural football in him, that no matter how badly his colleagues are failing, he remains a figure of importance on the field).

BLAKE's first division experience with Kowloon is going to prove a valuable asset to him and the University this year, although I am wondering if he will return to his career in going to do Blake any good. Gradually he will be forced to adapt himself to that type of football, which, with all due respect is retrogressive to after first division stuff.

NONE the less the Varsity are going to benefit, for it was Blake who notched the winning goal against his old club on Saturday.

THE hand of commiseration is this week extended to the Railway Sports Club. To concede 13 goals in their second appearance in local league football is a very disheartening, but the Railwaymen can find encouragement from the experience of the Club from the experience of the Club de Recreio. They were the outside paw of every team in the third division last winter. On Saturday they beat the Royal Engineers five nil.

On the other hand the Police saw that such conditions could be turned to advantage. They kept the ball moving very openly, feeding each wing in turn, and firing at Wong Wing whenever opportunity presented itself. It paid them to the extent of allowing them to cross over with a goal lead. With a little bit of luck it would have been two goals.

South China were seen in a better light in the second half, not so much because they improved as players, but because the ground had once again dried, and allowed firmer control over the ball.

FINESSE BUT NO FINISH.

By no stretch of the imagination could the standard of football be described as high. The Police, although quite fast and thorough, lacked finesse. The Chinese exhibited a fair amount of finesse, but no finish. So the play remained at that halfway stage known as mediocre.

In defence, which includes the half backs, South China were water tight. The one goal conceded was something likely to happen to any team. It resulted from pure opportunism on the part of the shooting territory.

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Valorous (Heard up) being led in after winning the Kimberley Handicap at Happy Valley on Saturday.

SHANGHAI'S
INTERPORT
CONFIDENCEDONALD LEACH
ON PROSPECTS

What are Shanghai's prospects in the forthcoming interport cricket match with Hongkong? That is the question which must be foremost in the minds of all local cricket enthusiasts says the Shanghai Times.

Shanghai should be confident of success, for man for man, compared with the Colony's side, the northern Eleven has the balance of power. True, there is a slight weakness in Shanghai's attack, but this is easily outweighed by the phenomenal bat of Leach, which will be fielded.

There is, however, another element which may be a big factor in deciding the fate of the China "Ashes." If the weather remains fine for a few days before the match, Shanghai's chances will be exceeding bright, but a wet wicket will be more to the liking of the visitors' bowlers.

SKIPPER SATISFIED.

"I cannot say that we are certain to win, but I feel secure in expressing a great deal of confidence in our prospects," D. W. Leach, the Shanghai skipper, told The Shanghai Times. "I am perfectly satisfied with the selections and it would be difficult to find a better all-round side than that which has been chosen. They may be in our bowling is more than out-weighted by our batting strength. The Colony's main hope lies in the fact that there will be a wet wicket, in which case the Hongkong bowlers will have a much easier task in dealing with the local defence."

"If we are favoured with an easy wicket, however, I think Shanghai's chances are more than bright."

EXPERIENCED LEADER.

Leach is particularly fitted for the leadership of the Shanghai team, for he possesses an intimate and valuable knowledge of the Hongkong players' strengths and weaknesses, and will consequently have the advantage of knowing what type of bowling will be best used in the attack. Concluding the interview, he pointed out that Shanghai would have no difficulty in finding an opening pair—in fact the problem would be to know who not to use.

FRED MILLER
WHIPS CROWLEYCHAMP WINS FIRST
BOUT ABROAD

London, Oct. 1. Freddie Miller, on a little invasion of foreign fields, won a decision here at Crowley, of England, in 10 rounds.

The Cincinnati youth, recognized by the National boxing association as world featherweight champion, had the edge over the British nearly all the way and his victory was cheered by the crowd.

Miller's last recent fight before leaving the Pacific Coast, his usual haunt, was with Little Delmas, Philippine featherweight at San Francisco, on August 10, Miller winning handily.

He is pointing toward another bout with Baby Arizmendi, the Mexican, who is recognized as world titlist by the New York state commission because of his victory over Miller, winning his NBA title, beat the Mexican early in 1933 but lost a return engagement in which the crown was not involved.

WOLGAST WINS.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 1. Midget Wolgast, the former world flyweight champion, won a decision in 10 rounds here tonight from Babe Frisearo, of Cleveland.

Wolgast, now grown past the ban-weight limit of 118 pounds, and far out of the flyweight 112-pound

THREE OR
FIVE SETS
TENNIS
MATCHES?ANOTHER NEW
SUGGESTIONOBTAINING LONG
VANTAGE SETS

The question of whether it is preferable to change tennis championship matches from five sets to three sets is still engaging the active attention of English critics, and in the following article, the special tennis correspondent of the London Observer, quotes cases for and against, and also advances a new suggestion for cutting down the matches to reasonable lengths. He writes:

When two such players as H. W. Austin, of the present day, and Commander G. W. Hillyard, R.N., of the past, unite in giving it as their considered opinion that best-of-five-sets matches, as played in all the major and most of the minor championships, should be changed to best-of-three-sets matches, it is impossible to disregard their view entirely, without, at any rate, careful examination. Their reasons for desiring the change may be stated briefly. They say that the present basis of championship matches makes them too long and too exhausting; that they tend to the production of the best tennis, and liable to produce a result which is not the best of all but the most robust. They are not by any means alone in their views. Championship matches are not, nowadays, the comparatively leisurely affairs they were in the early days of the game; they are fought out at a speed, generally in the implements of improvement, far greater than was known to its forerunners. The strains imposed on the players is, therefore, necessarily greater; ought that strain to be relieved by adopting some mode of shortening championship matches? and, if so, what means?

KEEP FIT!

The fact is, that very few players take the trouble to fit themselves really fit for the strain that championship singles play after day involve. Those who do reap the benefit, as Wimbledon showed five-and-twenty years ago, and as Perry shows at the present time. For the last-named, at any rate, the best-of-three sets match possesses practically no interest whatever; he needs the long encounter to show him at his best; and the longer it is the better he is pleased, and the better he usually plays at the end of it. And there are many who hold the same view. I do not imagine that "best-of-three" matches would appeal to the Americans, for example; though perhaps they suffer more than most sedate-players from the long match owing to the amount they take out of themselves by relying so largely on an overhanging service. And it is noticeable that, when in an important tournament, it is a question of whether the final of the singles shall be a best-of-three or best-of-five the players usually want it to be the latter. I should doubt whether lead-voles were taken to the world, more than ten per cent, would vote for the shorter test; and, indeed, I see no reason why a fit man should.

ALTERNATIVE SCHEMES.

But in these days, when lawn tennis has become a commercialized proposition, dependent on its "gates," the paying public has to be considered as well as the players. Probably quite a large proportion of the spectators at Wimbledon would be quite as well pleased with a brisk encounter of three sets as with a long-drawn-out struggle of five, lasting perhaps over two hours, at the end of which time both players had long since become too exhausted to do themselves justice. What is really wanted is something between the two, the three-sets or four-sets, or, at the very least, the five-sets too long. Four sets are obviously impracticable; the "half-way house," therefore, is no solution. It has been suggested that an alteration in the system of scoring should be made, and that three sets only should be played, but that sets should be eight games up instead of six, with an "advantage" set only in the third set. This would probably achieve the desired effect, but its adoption means altering the rules dealing with scoring, which have stood since 1884, the first year that playing advantage sets throughout. The competition was dropped at Wimbledon. Personally, if any alteration is ever made, I consider that it would be far preferable to dispose of the long advantage games and the often very long advantage sets by enacting that the first has been called in any game, the first player to win two points in succession, should win that game, and that after five games all has been called in any set, the first player to win two games in succession should win that set. This would do away with those occasional very long games and those sets, 12-10 sets, which are not only so exhausting to the players, but also undoubtedly wearisome to all but a very few of those who are looking on.

In his last previous start he hammered out a decision over Henry Hooks, of Indianapolis, at New Orleans Aug. 27.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The EIGHTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 10th October, 1934, commencing at 2.30 p.m. on both days. The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

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The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 o'clock, noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course. On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

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INTERPORT CRICKET

H.K. TEAM MEET
BAD WEATHER

Shanghai, Oct. 7. According to this morning's Shanghai Sunday Times the Hongkong Interport cricket team on board the Empress of Asia have wired back to Shanghai asking for a postponement of the start of the match from Tuesday to Wednesday next.

It was stated in the message that the ship had encountered bad weather and that a large number of the Hongkong visitors were suffering from seasickness.

It is stated that the postponement has been agreed to by the Shanghai authorities.

It is also announced that J. C. Jenkins, the reserve, has been selected to replace O. G. Simpson, who is ill.

Reuter.

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MAMAK HOCKEY

The Police, last season's winners of the Mamak Hockey tournament, registered their first win this season when they defeated the Royal Corps of Signals by three clear goals in a Mamak match on the Police Training School ground on Friday.

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INTERNATIONAL LAWN BOWLS

ENGLAND BEATS
PORTUGAL

CLOSE CONTEST

England claimed a name place on the Gutierrez Shield when she defeated Portugal by 24 shots to 18 in the final of the International lawn bowls competition on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club green yesterday afternoon.

The English four, comprised entirely of Interporters, had to fight hard for victory.

Portugal, whose rink included two Interport players, played very well, staging a remarkable recovery towards the end of the match. If any team suffered bad luck, especially with attempts to trail the Jack, it was the Portuguese.

Portugal's recovery was due in the main, to the brilliance of C. G. Silva, playing No. 3. Silva, however, was rather shaky in the early stages of the game.

A. W. Grimmitt, who this season has created a record by winning the open singles, open pairs and open rinks championships, had the distinction of winning yet a fourth trophy, being included at No. 3 for England. He tied with Silva and sent down some good woods.

A sharp shower of rain at 4.45 caused a short adjournment. On resumption the players found no little difficulty in sending down their shots for correct placements.

England opened with a two on the first end, scoring a useful four on the third. They were leading 12-10 on the 12th head when rain fell. On resumption of play, the Portuguese four registered a two on the 13th end and, however, scored on the next three heads, leading 17-12 on the 15th, and on the 18th head the Englishmen held a lead of 20-14.

Brilliant bowling by Silva, saw Portugal register their first four of the match on the 19th end. On the last head, Luz just failed to trail the last head, and England scored three to bring their total to 24.

Many spectators who watched the game were entertained to tea by the Kowloon B.G.C.

The teams were as follows:
England: E. G. Post, H. Beer, A. W. Grimmitt and B. W. Bradbury (Skip).

Portugal: L. A. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, C. G. Silva and R. F. Luz (Skip).

Police Nearly Gain A Surprise Win

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of a Police forward, and could not be debited to any error by a Chinese defender.

Wong Wing, Li Ting-sang and Lau Mau were an excellent trio, but it was Li Kwok-wai who really caught the eye. He played a magnificent game, both in breaking up the Police right wing and in keeping his own forwards on the move with through passes.

The more I see of Kwok the more I am convinced that as a left half, he stands on his own in local football. If he is fit next February, it is impossible to see anyone but him in the Interport side.

It was a pleasure to see Leung in-chuan back in action again at right half. He was not quite his old reliable self, but improved as the game wore on, and in the closing stages was in fine fettle, easily keeping Green and Channings under control.

WONG'S "OFF" DAY.

Up forward Wong Mee-shun had a terribly "off" day. He passed too strongly and was seldom able to find his man when distributing the ball. On top of this he missed an open goal after some perfectly glorious work by Tso Kwai-shing.

As a matter of fact the big mystery of the Chinese was their starving of Tso. As an attacker he stood on his own, but in the first half he might just have been off the field for all the attention his colleagues paid him, and the only opportunities he had in the second "35" were those he created for himself by cutting in from the wing and capturing the ball.

Three remarkably clever dribbles stand out as the high spots of the game, and taken by and large, Tso was about the best forward on the field.

Tay Quon-tong worked like a glutton, scored a neat goal, missed two, and persisted in that unnecessary leaping for the ball, for which one day, he is going to be pulled up by a referee and severely censured. This comment is

offered as advice, and it will be kinder to him if referees put an early stop to this trick.

The two reserves brought into the forward line were not impressive, but redeemed a poor afternoon's work which included several missed chances, by netting the deciding goal. The credit of it, however, goes to Tay, who effected a particularly smart manoeuvre on the left wing before placing the ball on Chaw Tak-fa's head.

ROBUST POLICE.

On the whole the Police played better than I was led to expect. As I have indicated they had not the polish as South China, but they attempted to make good this deficiency by robust tactics, which, in view of the earnestness in which they were carried out, remained remarkably free of foul play.

They were more impressive in defence than attack, the latter falling away badly after an encouraging start. Except when he allowed Tay to slip the ball through his legs, McHardy played errorless in goal, and twice at least saved goal-scoring shots.

He was very finely covered by Chris Pile and Blackburn, the former walking off with chief honours, because he had Tso Kwai-shing to think about in addition to the task of keeping Tay Quon-tong in check. Nevertheless I liked the way Blackburn thwarted the energetic Wong Mee-shun.

One could find distinct room for improvement in the half back line. Gough was a ready worker, but was sadly at fault in anticipation and positioning. He allowed Tay far too much room in which to operate, and he also retains that old fault, so prominent when he played for the Royal Artillery, of being too hasty in his kicking. Several times he had chances of making a lot of ground and drawing the defence before parting, but he passed while his men were covered and promising positions were lost.

HONEST, BUT—

Honesty of purpose was also the keynote of the work of Brooks and Parker. They were quite good in obstruction, but revealed many shortcomings in construction. Both Tommy Pile and Green, the wingers, suffered in consequence. Stephens was the best of a fair

TENNIS PLAYER WEDS.

SARAH PALFREY MARRIES.
BANKER'S SON.

Sharon, Mass., Oct. 7. Sarah Palfrey, world-famous tennis player, married Marshall Fabry, Jr., son of a Boston banker to-day. Sarah is 22 years of age and Fabry is 23.—United Press.

attack. He scored a perfectly delightful goal, and had a couple of other shots right on the target which made Wong Wing leap to his task.

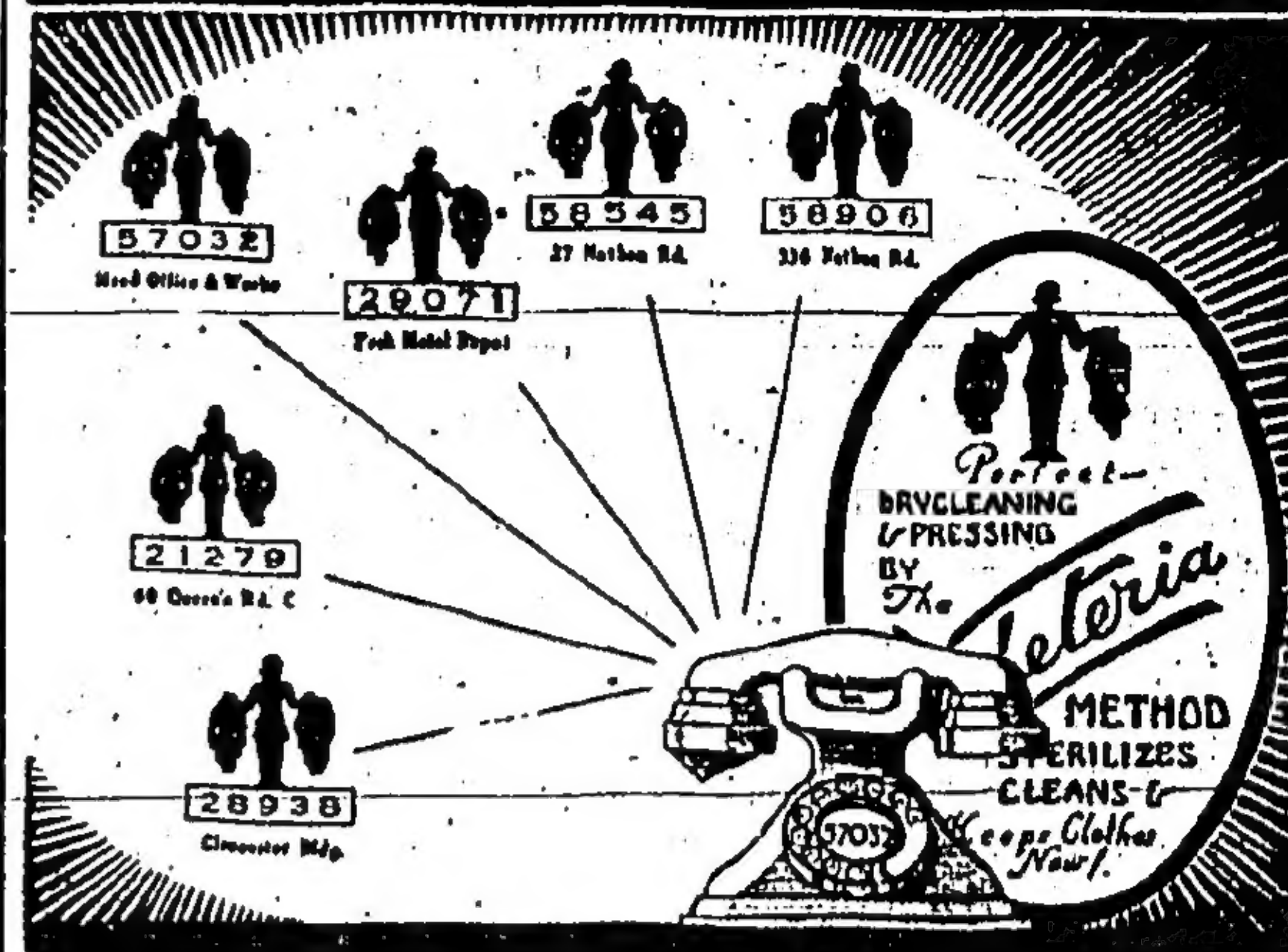
Johnson was liable to overdo the energy stuff, occasionally overrunning the ball, and quite often badly positioned for the centres. He would also be well advised to correct his trick of taking the ball back towards his own goal. It loses valuable ground and time, and is in any case diametric to the principles of progressive attack.

Channings seemed rather slow at inside left. I prefer him as a half back, and have a feeling that positional changes to this effect would improve the team.

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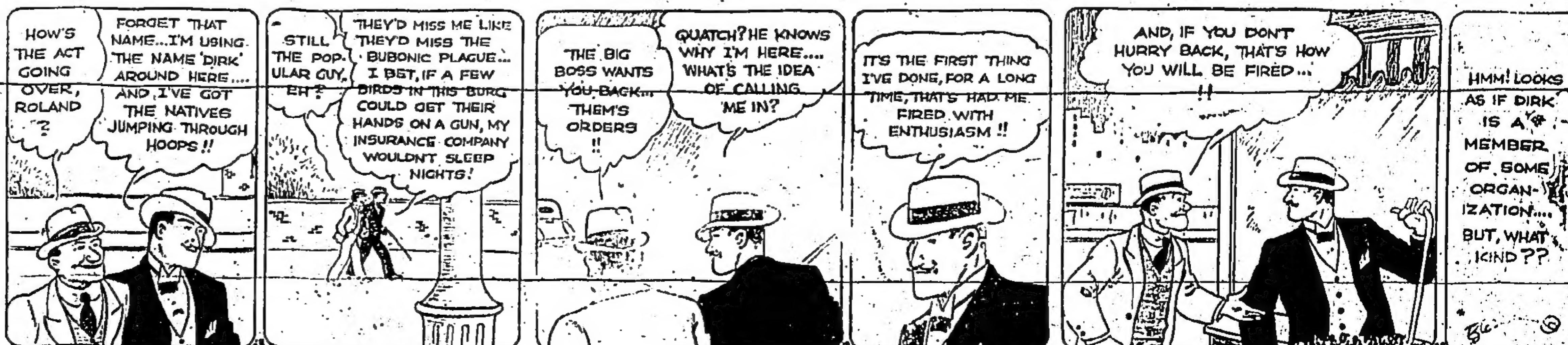
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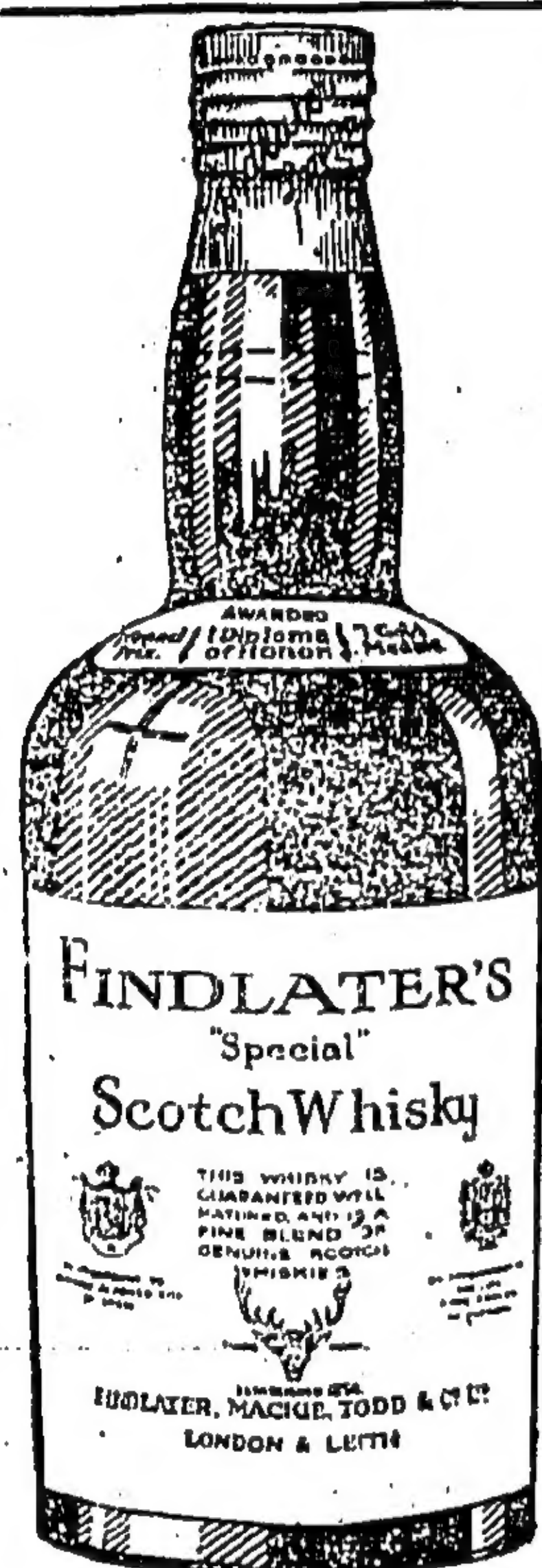
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BEACH CLUB GIRL

By MABEL McELLIOTT

CHAPTER XXIV

Mary had said to Boots, "The worst they can do is to take it out of your pay," quite as if \$10 weren't a small fortune when you worked at Lucy's and were paid \$18 a week. Ah, but was that the worst of it really? Might not the management suspect her of dishonesty, suspect her of having done away with that particular \$10 bill? Boots, walking to the soda fountain on leaden feet, had visions of an ignominious search. Of course they would not find the money, simply because she hadn't stolen it. But she felt that she would never be quite the same again after such an ordeal. No, she would feel definitely smothered.

There was no use trying to eat. Somehow she swallowed the scalding, bitter tea with the horrid little muslin bag floating around in the thick cup. Somewhere, she thought dazedly, at this very moment girls her own age were sitting in softly lighted and scented restaurants, sipping a beverage totally unlike this. There would be faint music playing behind a screen of greenery and waiters would be slipping back and forth deferentially with silver dishes.

Meantime the revolving door of the soda-fountain swung inward with monotonous regularity and a maddening whoosh-whoosh. Everyone who saw November wind looked cold, looked shabby. A fast mounting puddle of water formed under the ledge of the counter where umbrellas dripped and a discouraging, appetite-destroying odour of stale dishwater hovered over all. Oh, it was no use, it was simply no use trying to back this game, the girl thought in utter despair. In the mirror beyond the conception of "chocolate milks" she saw a bowl of cold storage eggs used in the conception of "chocolate milks" she could see her own pale countenance.

The tip of her small nose was ever so slightly reddened. Her hat which had been last season's dashing enough "sports model" of brown felt was wilted by the rain. The brim drooped. She swallowed the last of the bitter liquid in the cup and pushed back her stool, giving place to a pale, thin, spectacled girl who had been impatiently waiting for her to do so. The counter boy called that "thing." The counter boy called "Am-there-in with the special." Boots drifted out into the rain again.

That afternoon was torture. Mr. Bliss questioned her again. She was sure she had put the bill in the container? Well, they would check up on the day's receipts. Of course she quite understood that if the money did not turn up she would be held responsible? Boots nodded mutely. She was at the stage now where a single kind word would have brought upon a spell of bitter weeping. Fortunately she was so busy she did not have time for this luxury. Ten dollars—why, that would wipe out all her small margin of savings and take two other precious dollars out of her week's pay besides!

At long last the terrible day drew to a close. In the washroom Miss Apfel came close and murmured sympathetically, "Heard about it, dear. It's a shame. It happened to me once." Boots' eyes lighted with the first hope she had felt all day. Perhaps her disgrace was not so deep after all.

"No kidding. I was only here a week. I like to die," Miss Apfel assured her, reddening her lips. "It was only five. But it sure looked like a fortune to me." She sighed heavily at the memory.

"I don't understand it," Boots said, on the edge of tears. "I put it right in and slammed it shut. Then we waited and waited."

Bill was swallowed up forever in the enormous maw of Lucy's change system. In spite of a heavy heart and a sense of impending disaster Boots discovered she was hungry. There was a bakery shop on lower Sixth avenue not far from Mrs. Mooney's where she could have a hot, filling meal for 40 cents. A slab of potato with red cabbage cooked German style. A crisp poppy-seed roll. A cup of steaming coffee with cream. The tables were bare white slabs. The scarred linoleum floor was chipped by the passage of many feet. The air was steamy with the odour of cooking and wet woollen clothing. Boots was too utterly weary to care to-night. Her natural fastidiousness was submerged in a deep sense of fatigue and discouragement.

When she had finished the warm, satisfying meal she found she was so tired she could scarcely drag herself forth into the rain again. Ah, it would be heaven, she told herself dimly to fall asleep then and there. But of course that was madness. She must get home, strip off those wet dragged clothes, dry her soaking shoes.

Mrs. Mooney's flat was reached by means of two long flights of stairs. The carpets smelled of dust; the old, darkly painted balustrade must once have been part of a house with some pretensions to elegance. Boots had her key all ready to fit into the lock, but as she bent to find it, in the half-light cast by the dim bulb, the door swung open and a dark young man brushed past her with a muttered "Beg pardon." She did not even glance up at him, so sunk was she in her apathy. All in the world she wanted at that moment was to seek the solace of her tiny room, shut the door on the world outside.

The apartment was part of a made-over brownstone front. In the front of the house, looking over the street, Mrs. Mooney had her own quarters—a bed-sitting room and a kitchenette. A narrow corridor bisected the length of the remainder of the flat and two narrow doors opened off either side. Boots' room was one of those on the left. It was tiny, not more than eight feet square. There was a form brass bed and a bureau which had once been painted ivory but whose former coats of paint—some green, some faintly lemon coloured—now showed through in patches. A knob was missing.

Upon this bed Boots now collapsed, kicking off her sodden shoes with the rubbers still clinging to them. She had splashed through so many puddles that the rubbers had been sorry protectors. Later, she told herself, when she was rested she would get up, stuff the paper into those forlorn little oxfords and make certain of their being dry by to-morrow. Her only other pair, patent opera pumps, were at the shoemaker's and he closed shop at 6.

She wriggled out of her coat and lay there for a moment, savouring the blessed solitude. "Oh, I'm so tired," she whimpered faintly, burrowing her face deep into the pillow. It was not a friendly pillow. It was hard and unyielding and it smelled ever so slightly of some acid disinfectant. Boots shrank from it. After a moment she staggered to her feet. Better hang this coat up. Better get off her working frock—it was the only one she had suitable for work at Lucy's, the prescribed black with white collar. It was damp and wrinkled now. She would have to get up early and press it. Her coat on a hanger, her hat on an improvised form of tissue paper, she wriggled herself off her warm dressing gown and flung herself between the blankets. She was chilled through. It seemed to her she would never be warm again.

She must have slept for hours. When she awoke the hands of the alarm clock on the bureau pointed

to 10 minutes past 10. Stupid, befogged with sleep, she struggled to her feet in response to a loud knocking at the door.

"Oh, yes, Mr. Mooney," she said. "Coming."

"It's a telegram, Miss Raeburn, dear." The landlady, broad, comfortably untidy, stood in the aperture. "I didn't hear you come in so I didn't know you were home or not. I just thought I'd see. Ain't you feelin' so well? You look feverish."

"I do feel a little—little hot," she agreed, swallowing hard. Her throat hurt. Oh, well, that was because she'd slept so hard without any air in the room. Naturally she felt groggy. She felt Mrs. Mooney's bright, curious, but not unfriendly stare upon her.

"I guess I'll take an aspirin," she said, her hand on the knob. "And thank you so much, Mrs. Mooney."

Perhaps this was the end of the nightmare for her. Ruse wiring to say, "Here's a check, darling. Come by the next train." She could go to Lucy's in the morning, straighten out the affair of the lost money, leave for Florida and her husband on the morrow.

But the sheet fluttered from her lax fingers—she read—She sank to her knees beside the bed.

"Oh, my God, my God," she muttered. "What am I going to do now?"

(To Be Continued.)

KOWLOON TONG FETE.

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The Garden Fete at the Kowloon Anglican Church on Saturday afternoon proved a great success in spite of adverse weather conditions. Over \$700 was realised.

The fete was opened by Mrs. R. Q. Hall, wife of the Bishop of Hongkong.

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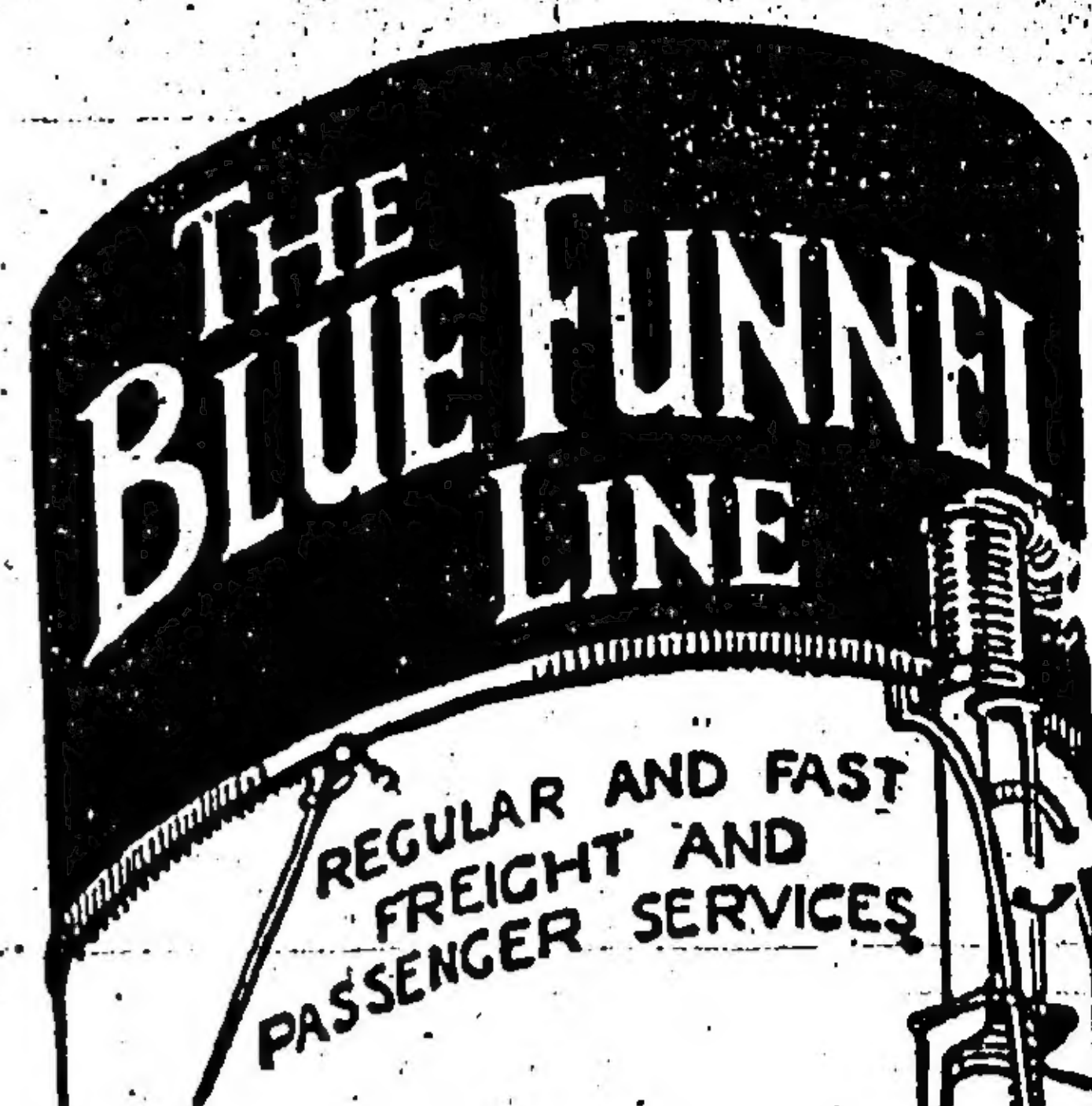
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Girls: Misses V. Jex, J. Banker, D. Freeman and U. Jex.

Boys: Masters F. Lay, D. Anderson, P. Wong and L. Wong. (Mrs. Lay won the weight guessing competition). The committee were:—Chairman, Rev. N. V. Halward, M.A., M.C. Hon. Secretary, Mrs. F. C. Clemo, Hon. Treasurer, Mr. F. C. Clemo.

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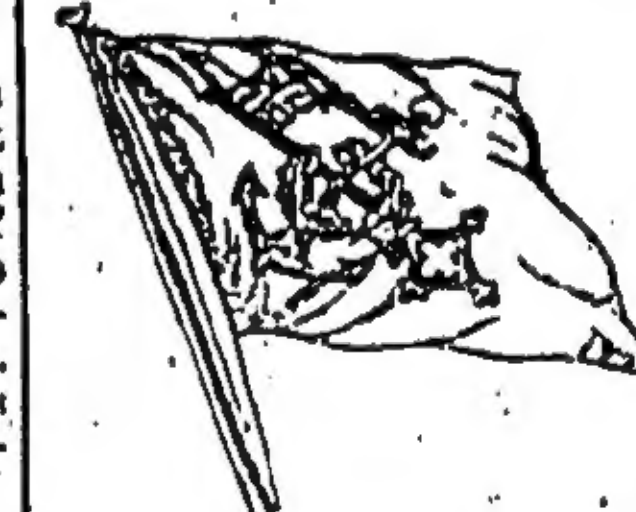
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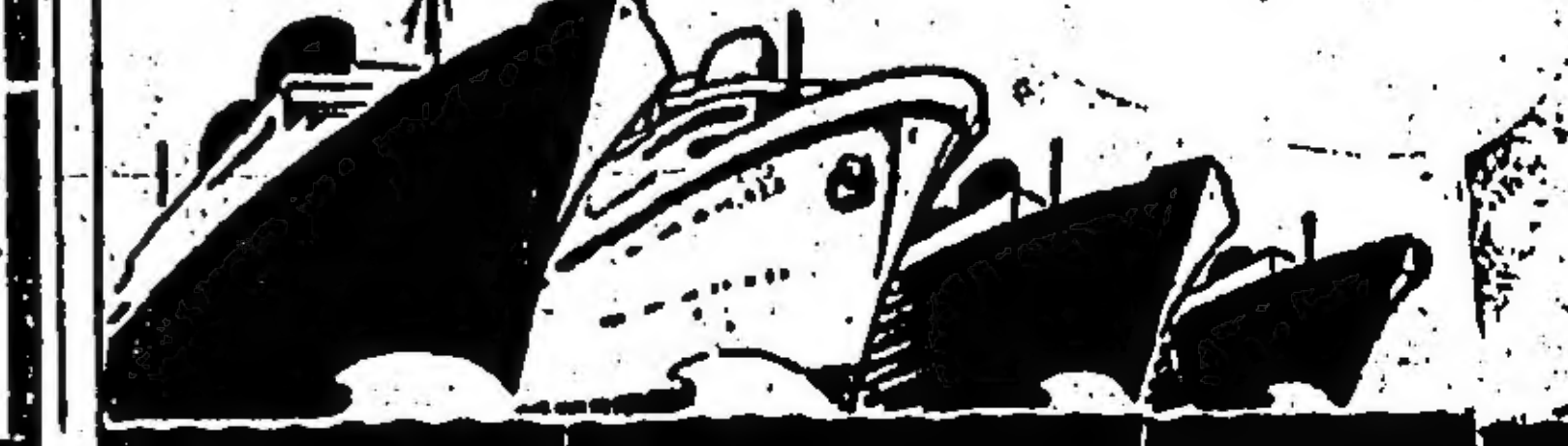
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WEDDING BELLS

CEREMONY AT ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

A bride in a gown of heavy white silk, with two small flower-girls, in green georgette and organza, formed the charming bridal group that entered the English Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon. The occasion was the marriage of Miss Maria Carolina Elisabeth Schotel to the Rev. Robert Walter Debenham Peck.

The bride who arrived in the Colony on the P. and O. liner Rajputana last week, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Johannes Schotel of Dordrecht, Holland. The bridegroom is the son of Cmdr. Frederick Peck, R.N. (retired) and Mrs. Peck.

The bride, who was given away by the Rev. Arthur H. Bray, looked charming in a gown and train of heavy white silk set off with a fine lace veil. She carried a spray of white flowers tied with white satin ribbon.

Wreaths of Wild Roses.

The Misses M. Johnstone and Olive Brown, as bridesmaids, wore green flowered georgette gowns, and the two flower-girls, Nancy Shannon and Betty Glanville, were dressed in period frocks of green organza. They all wore wreaths of wild roses on their hair and carried bouquets of white flowers tied with green ribbon.

The Rev. Edgar Dewar, assisted by the Rev. C. H. Tribbeck, officiated at the ceremony, appropriate music being played on the organ by Mrs. L. E. Luck. The duties of best man were undertaken by the Rev. Frank A. White.

A reception at Lane Crawford's Restaurant followed the wedding ceremony and the many friends of the Rev. Peck and Mrs. Peck gathered to toast their future happiness.

Later, the happy couple left for their honeymoon, which is being spent at Cheung Chau and Hangchow. Mrs. Peck chose a brown spotted silk dress, hat and coat for her going-away ensemble.

Harrigan—Piper

The wedding took place at St. Theresa's Church, Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, on Saturday afternoon, of Miss Eileen Muriel Piper, of Sydney, the daughter of the late Captain Piper, of Lethurst, New South Wales, Australia, and Mrs. Greenburg, to Mr. John Harrigan, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Harrigan, of Burwood, Sydney, Australia, and a member of the staff of

GRAN CHACO WAR

U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE DENIES REPORT

Washington, Oct. 7. Reports, ascribed to the Havas Press Agency, of France, that the United States has refused to participate in the League of Nations efforts to end the Gran Chaco war between Paraguay and Brazil have drawn forth protests from Mr. Cordell Hull, U. S. Secretary of State.

The Havas despatches, which are reported to have received wide publicity in Brazil, are alleged to have attributed to Mr. Sumner Welles, former U. S. Ambassador to Cuba, the statement that the League of Nations movement infringing the famous Monroe Doctrine.

The Secretary of State, in categorically denying the report, branded the alleged Havas despatch as wild, reckless and unfounded.—United Press.

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The bride entered the Church on the arm of her step-father, Mr. Greenburg, and looked very charming in a white satin creation, carrying a beautiful long trail. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and maiden hair fern. Little Miss Lillie Ferguson, the flower girl, wore a green silk dress with a bouquet of Victoria roses.

Mrs. F. M. Perry, in a dress of blue georgette, was Matron of Honour, and Mr. Frank Neill was best man. Mrs. Greenburg, the bride's mother, looked charming in a soft shade apple green georgette dress with a large black picture hat to match.

The Rev. Father Granelli officiated. Following the ceremony a reception was held at No. 289, Prince Edward Road.

For her going-away dress the bride wore a dress of blue powder georgette.

Warnes—Gaby

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday at the Roman Catholic Cathedral when Miss Iris Aspinall Warnes became the bride of Cyril Frederick Gaby, of the Chinese Maritime Customs. The Right Rev. Bishop H. Valtorta officiated at the ceremony. The honeymoon is being spent at Repulse Bay.

CHARITY BAZAAR.

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The Convent of the Precious Blood will be holding a bazaar and fete under the distinguished patronage of Lady Peel, on October 13 and 14 at the Chinese Catholic Young Men's Society, 16 Caine Road. The opening ceremony will be performed by His Lordship Bishop Valtorta on the 13th at 3 p.m. The purpose of this function is to raise funds in aid of the children's hospital and orphanage which are run by the Sisters at their convent at Shumshulpo.

The Committee, it is learned, will run the bazaar on a bigger scale this year, making it worthy of patronage for the sake of charity as well as for entertainment. In addition to the offering by the sisters of a large quantity of knitted and embroidered articles, suitable for household use, there will be various goods, generously donated by local firms and factories, to be disposed of. Aiming at giving good value for money spent at the function, the committee have imported an abundance of beautiful toys and dolls, which will be awarded to winners of the numerous interesting games of skill.

The disposal of souvenir tickets issued at \$1 and \$2 each, though showing a decrease in comparison with previous years owing to the bad times, has so far reached a fair number, and as there are still few more days before the function takes place, the committee hope that more purchases of tickets will be made, so as to give support to the institution, which depends chiefly on the proceeds derived from this bazaar for its maintenance.

The following constitutes the committee of the bazaar:—President, Rt. Rev. Mgr. H. Valtorta; Vice-president, Mr. R. C. H. Lim; Chairman, Tse Yung-kwong; Vice-chairman, C. M. Kwan; Hon. Secretary, Chan Wai-chien; General Committee: Messrs. Lai Chung-to, J. Moraes, So Shing-hon, Li Chun-yah, Tam Shou-soi, Li Tat-chi and Dr. Y. Y. Tang. Business Manager, Chan Wai-ming.

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LESSON SERMON. WEI HAI WEI POSITION.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENT, HONGKONG

"Unreality" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday. The Golden Text was: "All that is in the world, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but of the world. And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof; but he that doth the will of God abideth for ever" (1 John 2:15, 17).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "All things are full of labour; man cannot utter it: the eye is not satisfied with seeing, nor the ear filled with hearing. The thing that hath been, it is that which shall be; and that which is done is that which shall be done; and there is no new thing under the sun... I have seen all the works that are done under the sun; and behold, all is vanity and vexation of spirit" (Ecclesiastes 1:8, 9, 14).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the "Christian Science" textbook:

CHINESE COMMISSIONER TO REPORT TO CAPITAL

Nanking, Oct. 7. Mr. Hsu Tung-fan, the High Commissioner of the Administration of Weihaiwei, arrived in the capital yesterday.

It is officially stated that the object of his visit is to submit a report to Mr. Wang Ching-wai, President of the Executive Yuan, on the administrative condition of the ex-British Settlement and also to ask for instructions.—Central News Agency.

"Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Imperfect mortal mind sends forth its own resemblances, of which the wise man said, 'All is vanity.'... The crude creations of mortal thought must finally give place to the glorious forms which we sometimes behold in the camera of divine Mind, when the mental picture is spiritual and eternal. Mortals must look beyond fading finite forms, if they would gain the true sense of things" (pp. 239, 293).

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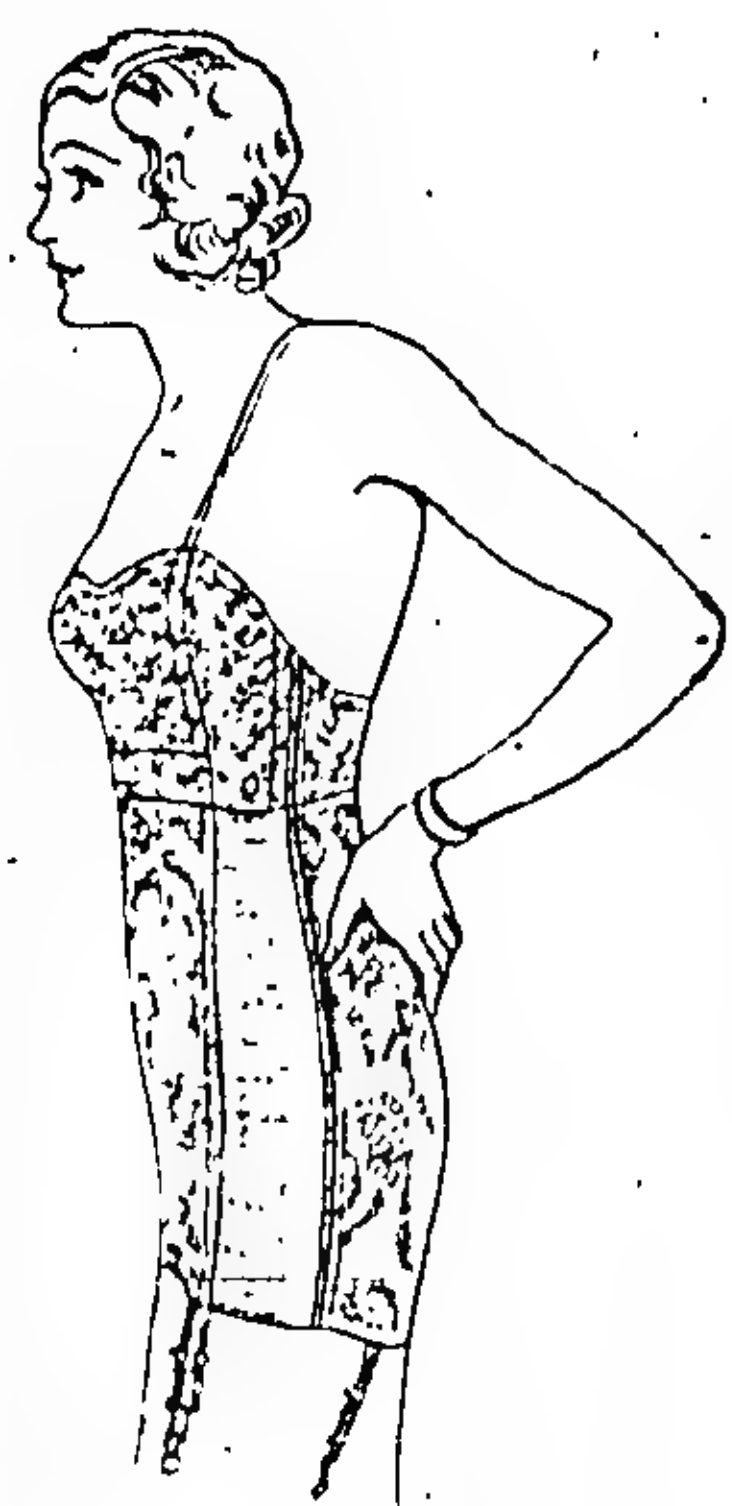
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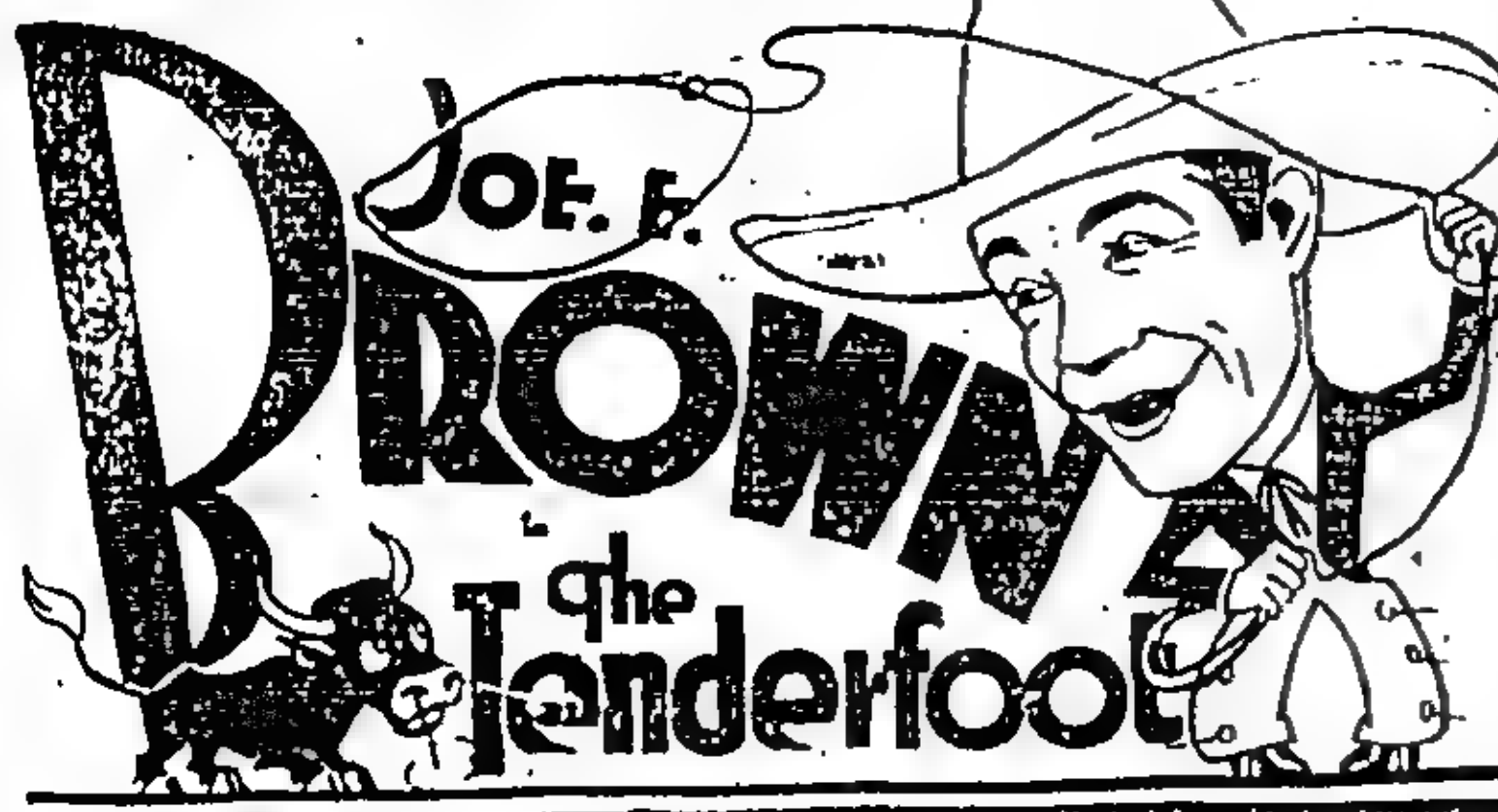


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SKILLED MEN REQUIRED

REAL DEARTH IN MOSCOW NOW

THEFT OF TRAINED MEN PRACTISED

Moscow, Oct. 1.
While thousands of skilled
workers in America and Europe
are looking futilely for jobs, cer-
tain kinds of labour are so scarce
here that the "theft" of trained
men for one organisation by an-
other has become a real industrial
problem.

That does not mean there is no
unemployment in the Soviet Union.
The streets of Moscow, especially
in winter, teem with beggars.
With outstretched palms they
stand in groups around the stores
patronized by foreigners and more
prosperous Russians. But any
man with technical skill can get
a job. In fact, employers hunt
him.

Some organizations, particu-
larly the big construction trusts,
employ special agents to seek
workers. Sometimes, these agents
"steal" men from other trusts,
promising them better pay or in-
creased privileges in the way of
housing and food.

TRICKERY.

The extent to which some organ-
izations will go to get workers was
illustrated recently by the Staka
Regional Executive Committee.
Needing more workers, they sent
instructions to a number of men
employed by the "Magnesite"
factory to report for military
training.

The workers arrived at the
place designated in the order and
were met by the members of the
Committee. With great secrecy,
they were shipped off to an un-
known destination. Upon arrival
there they found not a military
camp but a timber camp and were
set to work felling logs down a
river.

Meanwhile, one of the furnaces
in the "Magnesite" plant was
forced to close for lack of men to
tend it. The former ironworkers
were rolling logs.

The regional committee to the
Communist Party, which keeps its
eyes open for such trickery, found
out what was happening and the
"military order" was promptly
revoked.

Heavy labour turnover, result-
ing in many cases from such
trickery, is one of the industrial
problems which Soviet adminis-
trators are now trying to solve.
—United Press.

RICHES LOCKED IN ICE

Untouched Wealth Of Labrador

A ROMANCE OF ISOLATION

Vast, untouched treasures of
gold, silver, copper, nickel, and
iron lie buried in the Labrador
peninsula, which, "like some dif-
ferent virgin, is still wrapped in gar-
ments of isolation, having turned
away her woovers."

This claim is made by Sir
Wilfred Grenfell in "The Romance
of Labrador," published recently.
In this land of snow and rock
it is still only the fittest who can
survive the rigours of the climate,
and until the wealth of the inter-
ior, scrubbed bare of soil by ice
and burned by great fires, justi-
fies the expense of the establish-
ment of communications, no white
man can possibly make a home
there.

When the Indians grow old and
feeble in the country they are
killed by their families, for they
prefer death to abandonment and
exposure. The wanderings and

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To make up these useful little
"rompers" for the toddler-boy
or girl—you will need only one
and a quarter yards of thirty-six
inch material. Choose something
durable and make sure that it
washes well.

Study the diagram, cut a paper
pattern to the measurements
given, tack up, try the pattern on
the child, and make any necessary
alterations. Now cut the
material, as shown, by the cor-
rected pattern. The waist-band,
which is not shown in the
diagram, is a straight strip of
material, three inches wide, to be
used double.

In making up the "rompers,"
arrange the back fastening of the
bodice part by turning in the
edges and facing with a strip of
material about three-quarters of
an inch wide. Lap right side
over left, sew on buttons and
work buttonholes, or else use
press-studs.

Join the back of the bodice to
the front of the garment by
shoulder and side seams. Then
join the back of the knicker part
to the front by side seams, leaving
them open at the tops for a few
inches for the side fastenings.

Then the edges of the openings
and the lower edge of bodice
back. Now gather the top edge
of the knicker back and stitch
between the doubled waist-band,
the ends of which should be long
enough to go round to the front
of the waist and fasten with a
small buckle.

Sew up the little leg seam,
hem the leg edges, and run elastic
through these hems.

Bind the arm-holes, and cut a
small slit in the centre front of
the bodice. Bind this slit
together with the neck edge, then
tack it together again. This is
not a fastening, but it makes a
pretty finish to the neckline.

settlement of the younger and
active are entirely governed by
the presence of food and fur.
They kill birds and wild animals
with bows and arrows of spruce
wood.

In June, the Leaf Moon, the
Indians travel South. July, St.
Anne's Moon, is spent receiving
spiritual instruction. During
August, the Moon of Flight, the
families return to the interior.

The Eskimos, it is suggested,
are the most contented of all
people. Not one of them has ever
suffered from nervous prostration
and, as a race, they are brilliant
utilitarians. Yet, it is stated that
they are a dying race. In 1891
their number was estimated at
40,000. Four years ago that
figure had dropped to 28,000.

As an illustration of their
courage, they will, if need be,
tackle a polar bear single-handed
with only a dog whip. A knife is
fastened to the end of a long whip,
and the animal is slowly lashed to
death.

ART TREASURE DISCOVERED

Bought For A Song By Labourer

MAY BE WORK OF FAMED MASTER

Boston, Sept. 27.
Mr. Jeremiah Christopher Leon-
ard, 34, a sign painter who likes to
rummage through dusty shops for
second-hand art was revealed re-
cently as possessor of an apparent
masterpiece that may bring him a
fortune.

Some of the country's leading
museums have become keenly in-
terested, it was learned, in a
"Madonna and Child" that for
three years adorned the parlour
wall of Mr. Leonard's Somerville
house.

The dust-encrusted painting,
believed that of an Italian master
of the Renaissance period, cost Mr.
Leonard \$6. Now it appears that
the work may bring him anywhere
from \$50,000 to \$150,000. So he
has removed it from the parlour
wall and placed it in safekeeping.
Mr. Leonard supports his wife
and children—five to fourteen
years old—painting billboard
posters. His hobby is visiting
second-hand furniture stores, seek-
ing art gems among their mouldy
litter.

Five years ago he found the
"Madonna and Child," coated with
dust and grime, in a Somerville
shop. It had lain unnoticed for
so long that the Jewish proprietor
forgot where it came from. A bid
of \$6 was accepted readily—the
merchant even threw in a bundle
of frames for good measure.

Though attracted by the under-
lying beauty of the painting, Mr.
Leonard was equally ignorant of
its intrinsic value. It wasn't until
Dr. Charles McCrossan, art con-
noisseur and friend of the sign
painter, asked it about two years
ago that it was decided to submit
it to experts.

OF GREAT AGE.

Connoisseurs at Boston Museum
of Fine Arts, Fogg Museum at
Harvard University, and Metro-
politan Museum in New York all
have adjudged it as probably 400
to 500 years old.

One authority at Boston Museum
thinks it may be by Sassoferrato,
who lived between 1605 and 1685,
and painted many Madonna and
Christ pictures. An expert at the
Museum in Cambridge thinks it
may be by Correggio, who lived
between 1494 and 1534. A genuine
Correggio, it has been estimated,
might bring as much as \$150,000
in fashionable collecting circles.

Oval in shape and measuring 14
inches across and 20 inches from
top to bottom, the painting is in
colours rich and harmonious.
The intensity of expression on the
beautiful faces and the concentra-
tion of the four eyes on a given
point were said by one expert to
remind of both Raphael and Rem-
brandt, but other characteristics
made it clear that it was not the
work of either. —United Press.

MAN AS SEEN BY HIS TAILOR

NOT GIFTED LIKE WOMEN

Men, in the opinion of Mr.
Stanley Johnson, honorary secre-
tary of the National Federation of
Merchant Tailors, are not natu-
rally gifted in the matter of clothes
as women are, and should, there-
fore, be given some official bureau-
of dress information to which they
can go for advice.

They did not desire that men's
fashions should change as rapidly
as women's, but it should be pos-
sible to agree on some gradual
changes in men's clothes, so that
a man wearing a suit several years
out of date would be made to look
so ridiculous that he would have
great difficulty in persuading any
self-respecting woman to walk down
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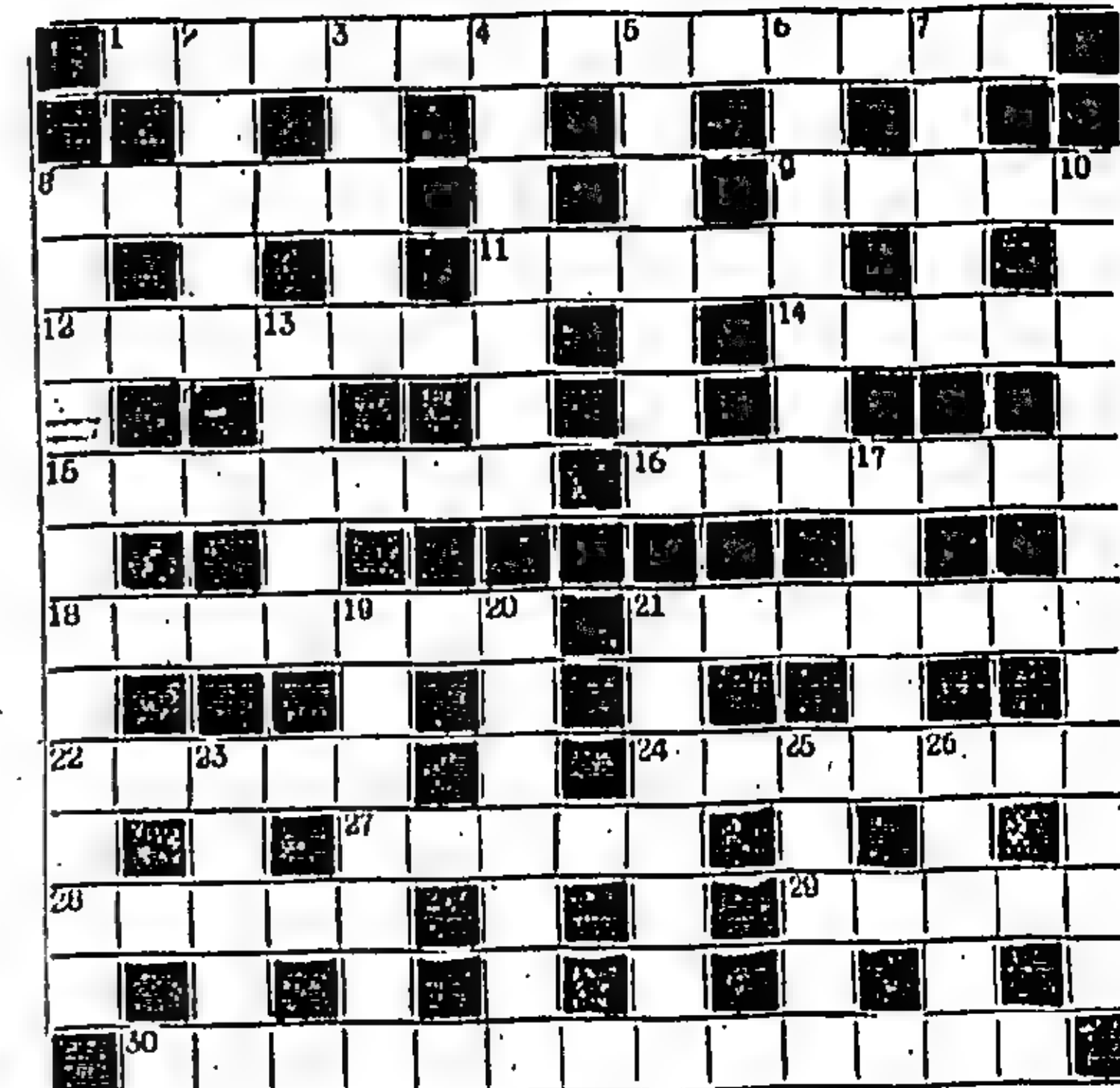
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Across.

- 1 How the father of a woman,
solicitor, and her husband's
father, might refer to her
(thyrer).
- 8 Though largely *couleur de rose*,
not at all poetical.
- 9 Sharpers do not play the game
in this bont.
- 11 Jack Sprat should have liked
this joint: there's no fat on it.
- 12 Feasted sumptuously.
- 14 For anyone who is, it's all U.P.
15 Glass.
- 16 Two words that might describe
a macaw, or the regular patron
of night clubs.
- 18 There's nothing common about
anything that's this.
- 21 Unfriendly.
- 22 Venomous snake.
- 24 Scatter the tin about the slightly
ruffled hair, in order that he may
come in for it.
- 27 At some future time
28 American city.
- 29 He may not be the best of farm
hands, but he might be worse.
- 30 What is it that points north and
south at the same time (hyphen).

Down.

- 2 In the midst of anything.
- 3 This East Indian ox is lively with
nearly everyone.
- 4 Part of a loom.
- 5 This horse is useless between

the shafts.

- 6 Can be gathered in a garden.
- 7 The actual source of Nelson's
Victory.
- 8 Walker; has to be pushed.
- 10 Perks.
- 13 Fragments attributed to Sam.
- 17 Dip.
- 19 Just unto the hook.
- 20 Made by a settler from a trestle.
- 21 Obsolete feminine accessory.
- 22 Musical instrument.
- 23 Has a note, so hurry.
- 26 Only a little wheel, but it has its
points.

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H F E Y D E S S E

The Health Bulletin for Eastern
ports for the week ending Septem-
ber 29 states that one case of non-
fatal plague was reported at Phom-
Penh, 43 cases of non-fatal cholera
were reported at Calcutta, 14 cases
of cholera with no deaths were re-

ported at Madras, and four deaths
from cholera were reported from
Chittagong. Small-pox cases, without
fatalities, were reported as follows:
6 cases from Bombay, 4 from Cal-
cutta, 5 from Madras, 1 from each
Tulicora and Vizagapatnam, and 6
from Colombo.

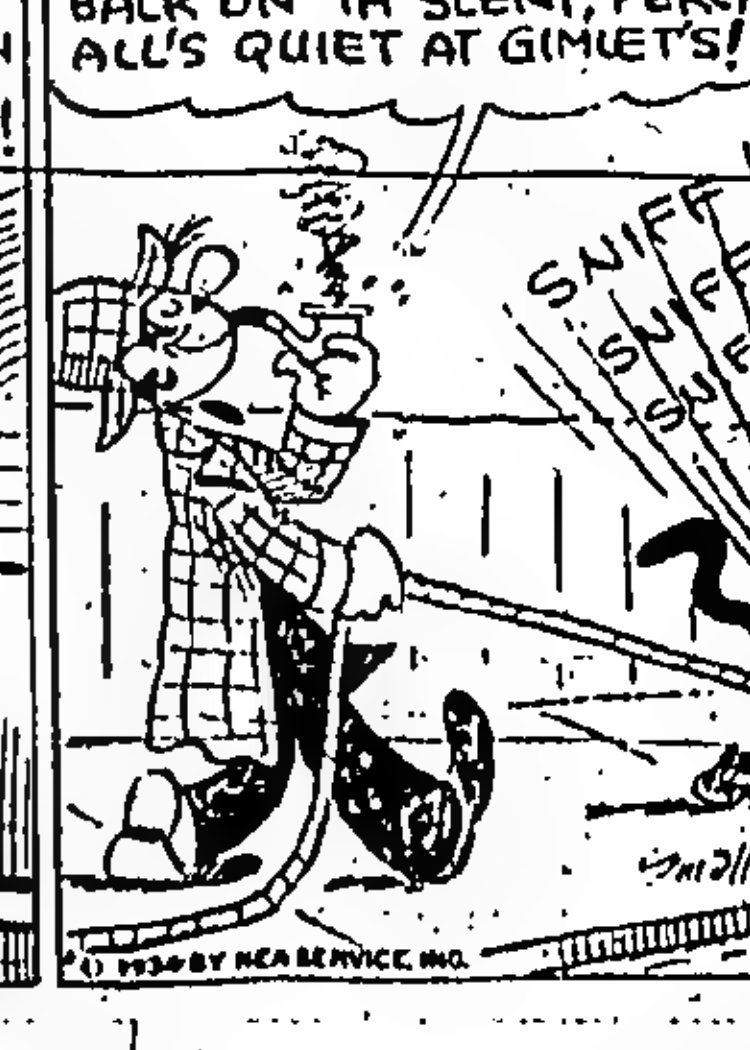
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NEW TESTS FOR MOTORISTS

Draft Of Home Regulations

"EXAMINATION" TESTS PLANNED

Draft regulations to govern the efficiency tests which new applicants for driving licences will in future have to pass, were issued recently by the Minister of Transport. It is emphasised that the regulations are provisional and are for discussion among motorists and interested bodies. They are in no way final.

The applicant, according to the draft regulations, will have to satisfy a "duly authorised examiner" that he is fully conversant with the Highway Code.

In addition, he must satisfy as to his ability unaided to deal with his car in the following manner: Start the engine of his vehicle; Move away straight ahead or at an angle;

Overtake, meet or cross the path of other vehicles and take an appropriate course;

Stop the vehicle in an emergency or normally, and in the latter case to bring the vehicle to rest at an appropriate part of the road;

Drive backwards, and while so doing enter a limited opening either to the right or to the left; Reverse the direction of the vehicle by use of forward and reverse gears;

Give appropriate hand or mechanical signals at appropriate times to indicate intended actions;

Act promptly on all signals given by traffic signs, traffic controllers and other road users.

ANOTHER FEE.

Anyone seeking a licence must apply to the Council of his County or Borough, and applications will be dealt with at any time within one month of the effective date of the licence. The present fee of 5s. for the licence is to be continued, but an additional fee (7s. 6d.) is suggested in the draft regulations will be charged for the test.

The draft regulations continue the rule relating to physical disabilities which debar an applicant from holding a licence or even from claiming to be subjected to a test. These include: Epilepsy, mental defectiveness of certain types, liability to sudden giddiness or fainting, and inability to read a car number plate at 25 yards in good light and with glasses.

Tests will be conducted "by such Government Departments, bodies, organisations or persons as the Minister may from time to time appoint."

A certificate of competence is to be issued to successful candidates. Those who fail to pass the test shall be ineligible to submit to a further test for two months. The applicant is required to provide a motor vehicle "of suitable type" for the test.

Drivers who are not resident in Great Britain are not required to pass the test.

Provisional licences are to be granted, according to the draft regulations, to enable the holders to use them "only when under the supervision of a person fit and competent to give instruction in the driving of a motor vehicle who, except in the case of a motor-

BEST DRESSED NATION

ENGLAND LEADS THE WAY

Laxity in dress among the professional classes was regretted by Sir Francis Joseph, speaking at the annual banquet held in connection with the National Federation of Merchant Tailors' Conference at Buxton.

The workaday world-to-day, he added, was better clothed than it had ever been before.

England was now, the best-dressed nation in the world, and both American and Continental peoples were coming here in large numbers to replenish their wardrobes.

As a result of the prevalence of small cars it was impossible for a doctor to wear a tall hat, and with the passing of the tall hat the doctor had also discarded his frock coat.

Criticism of the slovenly dress worn by some men, and also of the new Army uniform, was made by Mr. R. H. Stone, of Norwich, the retiring President.

"Are we to stand idly by," he asked, "and see our soldiers dressed like cheap hikers? Can dress such as is suggested engender discipline and smartness? It certainly will not improve the soldier's idea of dress when in mufti or when he retires."

Mr. E. M. Meggitt, Manchester, the newly-elected President, said he believed that a change and improvement in men's dress was coming soon, and that the ubiquitous sports coat and flannel trousers would disappear.

cycle or invalid carriage, shall be present in the vehicle with the holder of the provisional licence."

CONDITIONS FOR LEARNERS.

A vehicle driven by a learner holding a provisional licence is to carry a white disc seven inches in diameter, or a white square of the same size with a red letter "L," 2½ in. high and 1½ in. base, the width of the letter being ¾ of an inch.

Additional regulations in the draft provide that a licence shall be signed by the owner, failure being punishable by a fine not exceeding £5; duplicate licences shall be issued, in the event of a loss or defacement, at a cost of one shilling; records shall be kept by the Licensing Authority of all endorsements, and a copy of all particulars recorded by them shall be supplied to the police on application.

No mention is made in the draft regulations of the date from which the driving tests shall apply, but since it was laid down in the Act that new applicants for driving licences after April 1 this year were to be subjected to a test it is assumed that, when final regulations are issued they will apply retrospectively to that date.

The draft regulations have been issued to the various motoring organisations for their examination and comment. When the views of these bodies have been received by the Minister, final regulations will be drafted in the light of their observations.



The first performance will take place shortly of the presentation of "Little Dorrit," by Charles Dickens, in which the title role is to be played by Frau Schmeling, better known as Anny Ondra.

HOW IS YOUR MEMORY?

POSERS FOR THE SCHOOL-BOY

WIDE READING NECESSARY

If the boy of to-day wishes to pass his school examinations, it would appear that he has to be a very close reader of reliable newspapers and a student of European and world situations, as they effect politics and economics.

The last Leaving Certificate examination set by the Scottish Education Department asked, for instance, questions on Hitler, Marconi, dictatorship, the cinema, racing, and foreign exchange.

In the Day School Certificate one question in the general paper is—

Select five of the following and say, very briefly, what has made each of them famous:—Lord Howard of Effingham, Prince Rupert, Joseph Addison, Duchess of Marlborough, William Wilberforce, Sir John Moore, James Watt, Abraham Lincoln, Marconi, Mrs. Pankhurst, Earl Haig, Adolf Hitler.

In the Leaving Certificate English paper the following is demanded:—

Write a composition, not exceeding three foolscap pages in length, on any one of the following subjects:—

(a) "Fresh air and exercise for a healthy outlook on life." Discuss the merits of this slogan. (b) "Sports and societies (debating, dramatic, &c.) are too prominent in the modern school." Discuss.

(c) Describe a day among the hills, or a day by the sea. (d) The respective advantage of the theatre and the cinema. (e) The importance of possessing a sense of humour.

In a history paper they are asked to show very briefly the historical significance of the following:—The coronation of Charlemagne; the mission of St. Columba; the marriage of Henry II, of England; the battle of Agincourt; the divorce of Catherine of Aragon; the National Covenant (1638); the Act of Settlement; the Fall of the Bastille; the Indian Mutiny; the Franco-British Entente of 1904.

DOCTOR WHO TOOK WRONG TABLETS

EXPLANATION OF MOTORING OFFENCE.

Dr. Archibald Magill, a medical officer at Pembury Hospital, Tunbridge Wells, was fined £10, with £2 13s. 6d. costs, at Tonbridge recently for driving a car while under the influence of drink or drugs.

He explained that he had recently suffered bad headaches, accentuated by business troubles, and on the night in question intended to take some sodium bromide tablets but took four instead by mistake. Feeling unwell, he decided to go for a drive to get some fresh air, but could only vaguely remember what happened after that. He was practically an abstemious, but had two or three glasses of sherry that evening because of stomach pains.

Police Constable Tritton said he found Dr. Magill sitting in a car across the road with its back in a hedge.

The Chairman (Mr. G. F. Stacey) said the Bench accepted the explanation, but the public must be protected in such cases, accident or no accident.

"A CENSORSHIP FOR NOVELS"

Should Output Be Restricted?

CHILDREN'S BOOKS THAT BORE

A suggestion that the Library Association should inquire into the possibility of establishing some kind of publication censorship over novels, on the lines of the censorship of films, was made at a recent meeting of the Association held at University College, London.

The suggestion was put forward by the Rev. E. St. G. Schomburgk, Deputy Mayor of Westminster. He said that the public had a right to expect from its public libraries the supply of any book that had any kind of claim to be worth reading, but it seemed to him that nowadays there was an increasing output of books which could make no such claim either on literary, intellectual, artistic, educational, or romantic grounds, or, in fact, on any grounds whatever.

The President (Mr. S. A. Pitt, Glasgow) said the suggestion would be considered. To give any such guidance would call for considerable tact, a great deal of time, and probably would lead to a battle with publishers and others.

Miss M. Watt-Smith, deplored the fact that so little effort was made to find out what the modern child preferred to read "and to correlate his tastes to the books circulated by librarians."

"The most noticeable gap in contemporary juvenile book provision is the absence of any satisfactory books for children between the ages of ten and fourteen."

"After a couple of years spent reading the better class fairy tales the modern girl turns to something a little more grown up. And what is there? Just school stories; badly written, of doubtful morale, the plot usually taken from petty jealousies and snobberies far



The famous air woman Amy Mollison is the first woman cross channel pilot ever to be employed in England. She has entered for the England-Australia air race and has taken this job to get into practice for the event. The picture shows Mrs. Mollison photographed receiving her log book at the Stapleford Aerodrome prior to departure for Paris.

FAMOUS WAR MEMORIAL

BRANGWYN PANELS GO TO SWANSEA

The famous Brangwyn panels, painted for the House of Lords' war memorial, and rejected, amid great controversy, were sent recently from London to Swansea, where they will be placed in the Assembly Hall of the new Civic Centre.

The Brangwyn panels, which number 16, were commissioned in 1925 by the late Lord Iveagh, who intended to present them to the House of Lords. Mr. Brangwyn's



The camera records a violent episode during the recent fatal Communist rioting in Amsterdam, Holland. Here is an officer, felled by a flying missile, as he toppled seriously injured from a car which was rushing police reinforcements into the riot zone.

divorced from the life of the average schoolgirl.

LURID READING.

"Is it any wonder that after the boredom of reading a thousand school stories the girl turns to something lurid on reaching the adult library?"

The major fault of many boys' books was that they were out of date. Henty and his contemporaries were going at last, but too slowly. The modern boys' book was better than the modern girls' book, but it was not perfect.

There was a large output of nature books, though the majority of children saw the country each year for a few hours only and spent their lives facing four walls and a chimney. Yet we expected them to enjoy reading about the nesting habits of the pied wagtail.

They wanted more technical books, more books on games playing, more travel books, which took a good look instead of just peeping, and, above all, more good history books and biographies, with not so much insistence on battles, empires, soldiers, and sailors.

Parents, teachers, and librarians chose the wrong books for children, and were partly to blame for the popularity of "penny dreadfuls."

A male delegate expressed the opinion that the English classics were part of the structure of our lives, and were part of our heritage. "Yes," retorted Miss Watt-

fee was £20,000.

When, in 1930, the first five were submitted, they were accepted by the Fine Art Commission, and finally rejected. Mr. Brangwyn went on with the remaining eleven, and on the death of Lord Iveagh, the fate of the panels was left in the hands of the Iveagh Trust.

An offer of £40,000 was made for them from America, but the present Lord Iveagh and the trustees, decided that they must remain within the Empire.

Many applications were made by municipalities who considered they had halls suitable for them—six of them measure 20 feet by 12 feet, and the remaining 10 are each about 14 feet square—but Swansea's claims were considered strongest, for the panels will be in harmony with the scheme of decorations of the new Assembly Hall.

Mr. Brangwyn, who is of Welsh parentage, supported the decision of the Iveagh Trust.

The panels will be placed in their final setting in good time for the opening ceremony of the Civic Centre, which will be performed by Prince George on October 18.

Smith, "they are our heritage, but not the children's heritage. They were not written for children."

The President spoke of the need for further legislation to improve library administration.

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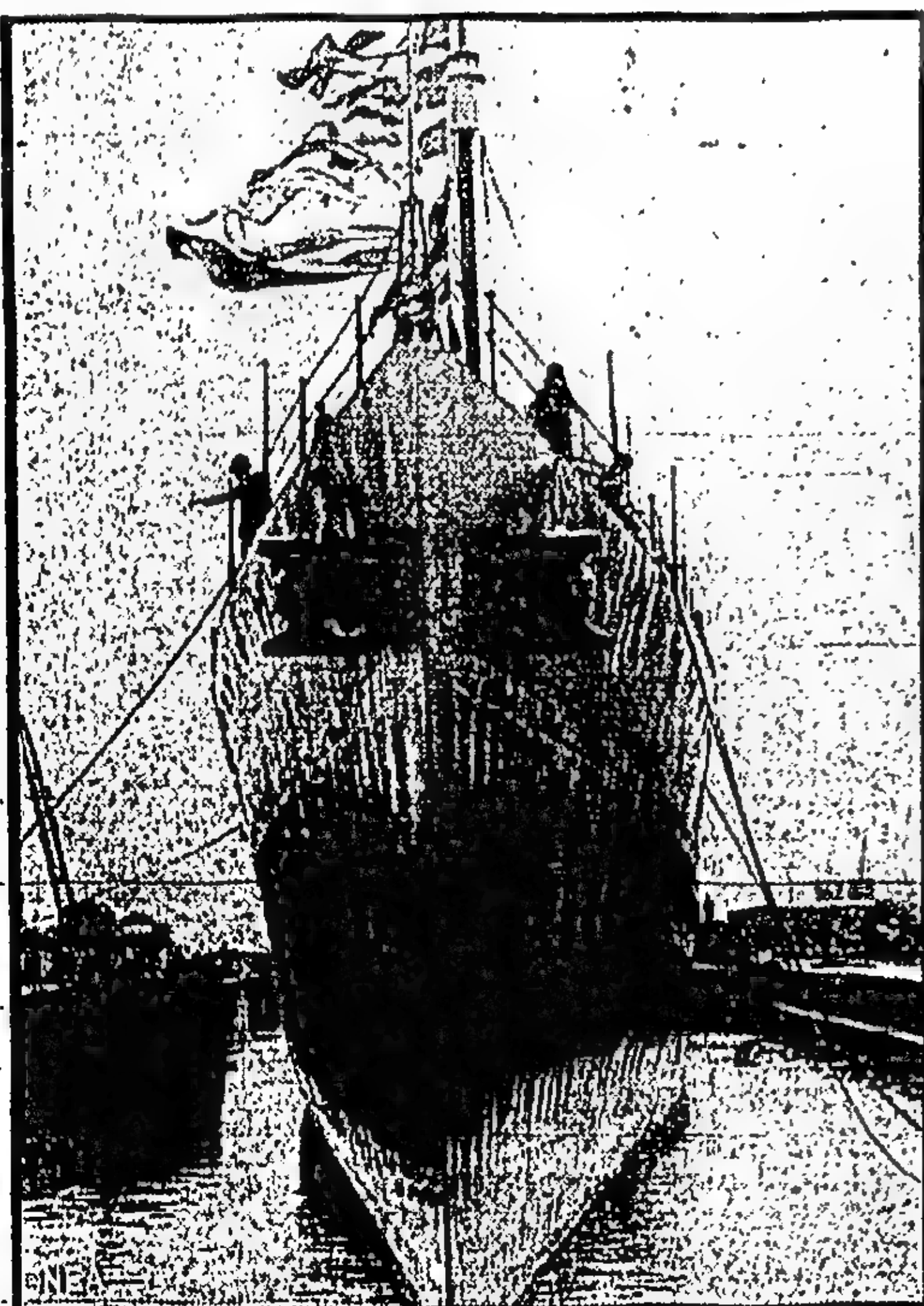
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Hongkong, 8th October, 1934.

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The Institute will be re-opened on Friday, 19th October, 1934. Entry forms and copies of Prospectus may be obtained at the Education Department or at the Central British School.

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SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

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H.K. Banks, (Loa. Reg.), £138½ n.
Chartered Banks, £16¼ n.
Mercantile Bank, A & B, £30¼ n.
Mercantile Bank C, £13 n.
East of Asia Bank, \$93 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$245 n.
Union Ins., \$530 b.
China Underwriters, \$115 n.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$237½ n.
Internat'l Assoc. Sh. \$0 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$40½ n.
H.K. Steamships, \$7 n.
Indo-China, (1st), \$38 n.
Shell's (Bearer), 46/10½ n.
Union Waterfronts, \$13¼ n.

Mining.
Antamoks, 60 cts. n.
Hualacoe, \$37 n.
Baguio Gold, 46 cts. n.
Benguet, \$41¼ n.
Benguet Exploration, 19 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
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Gold Creek, \$2 n.
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Ipo Mining, \$2½ n.
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Langkat (Single), 27½ n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.
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Raub, \$1290 n.
Venz: Goldfield, \$5 n.
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H.K. Docks, \$14½ n.
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Providents (new), 60 cts. n.
Hongkwa (old), Sh. \$310 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$4¼ n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$118 n.
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Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$9.80 n.
S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75¼ n.
S'hai Cottons (new), Sh. \$44 n.
Zongong Sines, Sh. \$11½ n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 n.
Landa, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$5.40 b.
H.K. Lands, \$60¼ b.
H.K. Lands 4½ debentures, 33½ cts. n.
S'hai Lands, Sh. \$27¼ n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$10 n.
H. K. Realities, \$4½ b.
Asia Realities, 2½ cts. n.
Asia Realities, 10 cts. n.
Chinese Estates, \$90 n.
China Realities, Sh. \$15½ n.
China Debenture, \$137 n.

Tramways. \$19.80 n.
Peak Trams (old), \$14 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Star Ferries, \$98 n.
Yau-mat Ferry (old), \$21¼ n.
China Light, (New), \$8.40 n.
H.K. Electric, \$70¼ n.
Macao Electric, \$25 n.
Sandakan Light, \$8 n.
Telephones (old), \$23.35 n.
Telephones (new), \$10.90 n.
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore-Tramways, 4/9 b.
Singapore Pref. 18½ b.

Miscellaneous.
Malabon Sugars, \$8.70 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), \$20 n.
Canton Ice, \$2¼ n.
Cement (com.), \$2.35 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$3¼ n.

Miscellaneous.
Dairy Farms, \$23.80 n.
Watson, \$5.60 n.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane, Crawford, \$4.15 n.
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$19 n.
Wm. Powell, 70 cts. n.
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KOWLOON TONG WEDDING

MR. J. F. MIU AND MISS A. A. LEUNG

The marriage took place on Saturday, at St. Teresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, of Mr. Jack Francis Miu, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Miu Yuen-kong, and Miss Alice Agnes Leung, fourth daughter of the late Mr. Leung, Yung-kwong and Mrs. Leung.

Rev. Fr. N. Mazzarini officiated at the ceremony and at the Nuptial Mass that followed immediately afterwards, and the Rev. Fr. A. Granelli presided at the organ. Miss Agnes Miu was bridesmaid and the duties of best man were carried out by Mr. Thomas M. Cheng. A large gathering of relatives and friends were present at the Church, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and were entertained later at a reception and banquet given the same evening at the Kwong Chow Restaurant, Sheklongtsui.

LADY MOTORIST'S CASE

POLICE WITHDRAW CHARGE

The summons against Miss Bevil Fair, who was alleged to have driven her car, No. 2926, through the Whitefield controlled area at 24 miles an hour on September 24, was withdrawn at the Central Magistracy this morning before Mr. E. W. Hamilton.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton, who appeared for the defence, said he had no objection to the withdrawal, but he would like to say that if the police had proceeded with the summons, Miss Fair would have been able to prove that she was not guilty.

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2 a.m. Time Signal from Big Ben. News Bulletin.
2.15 a.m. Interlude of gramophone records.
2.30 a.m. The Bridgewater Harp Quintet.
3 a.m. Time Signal from Greenwich. First Dr. Fu Manchu, a talk.
3.15 a.m. Variety programme.
4 a.m. Time Signal from Greenwich. The Wireless Military Band, conductor, Mr. H. Walton O'Donnell.
4.30 a.m. Scottish Military Band.
5 a.m. News Bulletin.
5.15-6.45 a.m. Orchestral Concert, conducted by Julius Harrison.

CHURCH'S PART IN KEEPING PEACE

(Continued from Page 6.)

shall make an inviolable peace between them the world-over. And if there are still Christians who read this article and who imagine that such a policy involves disloyalty to one's country, let them read again the manual issued by the British War Office, to which reference has been made. Let them ask themselves whether, by indulgence in such war for any conceivable reason, any country can any longer guarantee its own safety, further the cause of civilization, or even guard its honour. We know it last with grim finality that "the wages of sin is death."

The Magistrate imposed a fine of five dollars on each defendant.

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KOWLOON TAXI INCIDENT

MAGISTRATE TAKES SERIOUS VIEW

"There have been too many of these assaults on taxi-drivers," said Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, when Lee Wah-yuen, 22 years old, unemployed, was charged with assaulting Cheng Soo, a taxi-driver of the Blue Taxi Company, on October 5.

Sub-Inspector Post appearing for the prosecution said:—"I think it was only a schoolboy's escapade. They had no money, so they struck him on the head with a club."

His Worship: I don't think it was much of schoolboy escapade; the defendant appears to be a grown-up man. In the course of his evidence the complainant, Cheng Soo, stated that on October 5 about 9.15 p.m., he was at the Star Ferry taxi stand, when he was approached by defendant and another man. They engaged his taxi and defendant told him to drive to Kowloon Tong. He did so and on arriving at Cumberland Road, the defendant called out "Stop." When complainant did so, he was immediately seized round the neck from behind. In the struggle he was struck on the head with a club. He finally forced his way out of the taxi by the door. When he blew his police whistle and shouted for help his assailants immediately ran away. The defendant was arrested by an Indian policeman outside the Electric Company's premises in Waterloo Road, but the other man got away. One club was found on the ground in Cumberland Road and another was found in the taxi. There was also a rattan basket in the taxi.

EUROPEAN'S EVIDENCE.

Evidence was then given by L. J. K. G. Lincoln Road, who stated on the night of the assault, he was in his sitting room with a friend, when he heard police whistles and cries. He immediately went to the front gate, and saw the defendant running by very fast. He called to him, but received no answer, so he immediately gave chase. On calling to the man again, defendant replied that he was not the man who had caused the trouble, but was only chasing the culprit. Two Indian constables finally caught the defendant and brought him back. Witness then told them to take him to the Police Station, and said he would telephone the police and tell them of what had occurred.

Defendant insisted that he did not strike the complainant or engage his taxi. He alleged that he was passing by the Electric Company's premises in Waterloo Road when he was caught by the Indian constables. He further alleged that the complainant pulled him into the taxi and assaulted him in the presence of the constable.

It was stated that defendant had been unemployed for six months, but he had a brother in Shewan, Tones and Company, who was supporting him. Sub-Inspector Post stated that defendant had a lot of different names. He was in the habit of hanging round the theatres. He was known as Lee Wah-yuen, alias Lee Ching-ping, alias Donald Ricardo Lee, alias David Lee. After further evidence was given by an Indian constable, His Worship imposed a fine of \$100 with the alternative of six weeks' hard labour.

FOKIS' FIGHT

SEQUEL TO AN ARGUMENT

Having worked most of his life as a shop foki, Lau Fong had decided to start work as manager of a new shop which opened business to-day, but he found himself before Mr. MacLennan in the Central Police Court this morning, together with Lo Kei, another shop foki, charged with fighting at No. 228 Queen's Road Central.

Sub-Inspector McEwen told the Court that Lau Fong and Lo Kei were both ex-fokis. Lau had become manager of a new shop to open business to-day and was telling Lo Kei about his good fortune when an argument arose. Apparently Lo was struck over the forehead, causing blood to flow. He ran out into the street and called in P. C. Macdonald who ended any further possible altercations. Lau Fong had a mark on his chest.

The Magistrate imposed a fine of five dollars on each defendant.

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Japan and Shanghai	Conte Verde October 11.
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Shanghai	Tilawa October 11.
Australia and Manila	Bangalore October 12.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 22nd Sept.)	Changite October 12.
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Manila	Pres. Johnson October 12.
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OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Samahui and Yochow	Tai Hing	Mon., Oct. 8, 4 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and "Europe via Siberia"	Porthos	Mon., Oct. 8, 5 p.m.
		Tuesday.
Batavia	Tijlarooca	Tues., Oct. 9, 8.30 a.m.
Reunion, Mauritius, Madagascar, Tijlarooca		Tues., Oct. 9, 9.30 a.m.
Laurence Marquis and South (To connect with the s.s. "Roggeveen" at Batavia; leaving Batavia, Africa via Batavia)		Tues., Oct. 9, 1 p.m.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and G. G. Paul Doumer		Tues., Oct. 9, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., Oct. 9, 2 p.m.
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Saigon and "Europe via Marseilles— (Due Marseilles, 8th November.)"	Menestheus	Tues., Oct. 9, 4.30 p.m.
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Amoy	Tsinan	Wed., Oct. 10, 9.00 a.m.
Swatow	Solistan	Wed., Oct. 10, 9.30 a.m.
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"Straits and Calcutta"	Kumang	Thurs., Oct. 11, 1 p.m.
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NULLAH MURDER APPEAL OPENS

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EVIDENCE

The appeal against the sentence in the Nullah Murder Trial, in which Ng Lai-yuen was sentenced to death at the Criminal Session on September 9 for the murder of Michael Pine, was commenced before the Court of Criminal Appeal, comprising Mr. Justice Jackson and Mr. J. J. Hayden, this morning.

Mr. R. C. H. Lim, instructed by Mr. T. P. K. Kemble, appeared for the appellant, while Mr. J. A. Fraser, instructed by Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith, appeared for the Crown.

GROUNDS FOR APPLICATION.

Mr. Lim first applied for leave to appeal and stated that the grounds on which the appeal was based were as follows:—(1) that there was a miscarriage of justice as to Mary Pine's evidence in the Crown opening, which seriously prejudiced the defence, and (2) that there was misdirection to the jury in that the trial judge did not with sufficient clearness state to the jury what the main defence was, namely, that one or more children other than those seen by Mrs. Fairburn, were either thrown into or accidentally fell into the nullah whilst throwing stones; and that the trial judge misdirected the jury in his summing up with reference to the two bruises on Mary Pine's neck, when he said, "They were necessarily inflicted when the accused seized Mary Pine by the neck."

Other grounds on which the appeal was based were as follows:

- (1) That the trial judge wrongly refused to withdraw the case from the jury at the close of the case for the Crown on the submission that there was no evidence to be left to them;
- (2) That the trial judge should, on the Crown's failure to produce Mary Pine, have discharged the jury and ordered a new trial;
- (3) That the verdict was against the weight of the evidence.

ADDITIONAL GROUNDS.

Mr. Lim then made application to add the following grounds of appeal:

That the trial judge misdirected the jury in his summing-up with reference to—

- (a) The identification by Mary Pine, when he stated "It may be no more than that."
- (b) The statement "the alternative is to accept at the moment Eric Davies' evidence."
- (c) The statement "It was put to you, gentlemen, that the girl and the boy whom Mrs. Fairburn saw thrown over were Fay Bromley and Tony Flood."
- (d) The statement, "If he was determined to commit suicide, why

did he go there; why not go and finish his passage to the sea?"

(e) The statement, "It is possible that some of them may have been on the rails... possibly some of them standing on the rails and looking over, and... all of them over."

Application was also made to add the following point of law—that in the absence of the Crown witness, Mary Pine, the evidence of Mrs. Fairburn was wrongly admitted and put to the jury.

Mr. Lim: This is an appeal against conviction both on the question of law and the question of fact. Appellant was tried and convicted at the August Criminal Sessions and sentenced to death by the Chief Justice on September 9 for the murder of a European boy named Michael Pine. I understand from the learned Registrar that in order to prevent repetition in this application in reference to appeal on the question of fact this would be treated as a final appeal. If your Lordships accept one or more of my points or my grounds on the question of fact, leave to appeal would be presumed to have been granted.

Mr. Fraser: I have no objection. Mr. Justice Jackson: We grant that. Did the trial judge give any certificate?

NOTICE TO AMEND.

Mr. Lim: We would get a certificate from the trial judge or from this Court. There is a further point. Sometime last week we filed notice of additional grounds for appeal. I am well aware there are no provisions for notice to amend in criminal appeal in this Court. There are, however, several cases where leave to amend notices of appeal have been granted. In one instance where the Crown did not oppose. In this case the Crown was served with the notice to amend four or five days before the hearing so I can see no grounds for the Crown opposing.

Mr. Fraser: I received a copy through unofficial channels, but I was never served with the notice of additional grounds of appeal. Should your Lordships find it competent for the defence to add additional grounds later in their notice of appeal then at this stage I have no objection to that course.

Mr. Lim: I understand the Registrar refused to accept further grounds of appeal because there are no provisions in regard to criminal appeals in this Colony.

NOT SERVED.

Mr. Fraser: I am informed that notice was never served.

Mr. Lim: After consultation with Mr. Kemble, Mr. Fraser informs me that there was a discussion as to whether notice should be served, and it was decided that as there were no provisions in the rules no notice should be filed.

Mr. Fraser: It was open to my friend to obtain direction from the Judge on that point. No such direction was asked.

Mr. Hayden: Was it known at the time Mrs. Fairburn gave evidence that Mary Pine would not appear?

Mr. Lim: It was not known then. Mr. Fraser: No-one knew up to the morning of the closing day of the trial that Mary Pine could not come to give evidence. The trial was carried on up to that stage on the assumption that she would be giving evidence.

Their Lordships granted the leave to appeal, and addition of grounds and Mr. Fraser intimated when questioned that he would not require an adjournment to consider the additional grounds.

Dealing with the question of miscarriage of justice in regard to reference to Mary Pine's evidence in the Crown's opening Mr. Lim dealt with the evidence given to the Court by Eric Davies drawing attention to the passages where he stated "There was no-one on the bridge" and "We were on the floor of the bridge." That was a point of considerable importance, he said.

NO DIRECT EVIDENCE.

Referring their Lordships to the evidence of Mrs. Fairburn, Mr. Lim stressed her statement to the effect that her impression was that the little boy and little girl taken from the nullah were the same children she had seen thrown in by the appellant.

"There is no direct evidence implicating appellant," said Mr. Lim. "There is no evidence at all to show what he did to the other three children. The evidence is merely circumstantial. I therefore submit that mention by the prosecutor at the opening of Mary Pine's evidence must have prejudged the jury to a great extent through no fault of his own. The Crown, in their opening only mentioned those parts of Mary Pine's evidence which were in support of the Crown's case and not the part that helped the defence."

"At the original trial Mary Pine stated that they had been down in the nullah on previous occasions when there was no water there and that was not mentioned to the jury. If I had had the opportunity of cross-examining Mary Pine, I think she would have said the man was on the bridge."

TWO BRUISES.

"In the course of his opening the prosecutor made mention of the two bruises and qualified it that they might have been caused by accused seizing Mary Pine by the neck."

Mr. Fraser: If I remember correctly my words were "These marks may have been caused by accused in throwing Mary Pine into the nullah."

Mr. Lim: I accept that. I submitted just now that the evidence was circumstantial that the sum total of the evidence was consistent not only with appellant's guilt but also with his innocence. This mention of Mary Pine's evidence in the opening has seriously prejudged the jury. I admit that the learned trial judge warned the jury to disregard what was said in the opening as to Mary Pine's evidence, but I would submit that in spite of that the mischief has been done.

"Then again in his summing up the trial judge said 'There was no sign of the accused but I think we can assume that accused was on the bridge.' No one could assume that accused was on the bridge. The evidence was to the contrary, in fact."

"MOST MISLEADING."

Referring to the trial judge's direction with regard to the two bruises Mr. Lim stated that his Lordship had said, "There is one piece of direct evidence which from the point of view of circumstantial evidence is of considerable im-



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portance. "That is most misleading, I submit," said Mr. Lim. "I suggest that the direction in this respect should have been no more than that the two bruises might have been caused by any other person in the nullah who tried to save Mary Pine. To tell the jury that is of considerable importance is misleading."

In support of this Mr. Lim pointed out that one of the witnesses for the Crown in evidence had said that he got hold of Mary Pine on two occasions and that she was washed out of his hands and suggested that the two bruises might have been caused by that man grabbing her as she was being washed down.

Mr. Lim then quoted authorities in support of his contention that although the trial judge had warned the jury to disregard Mary Pine's evidence as mentioned in the opening, the mischief had been done and could not be cured.

Summing up his arguments on the first point, Counsel said: Where the evidence is not consistent with the apparent guilt, then the verdict of the jury in this case is against the weight of the evidence.

The hearing is proceeding.

"Why has Disarmament Failed?" is the subject of a talk to be given by Mr. Geo. Shea at to-morrow's meeting of the Rotary Club.

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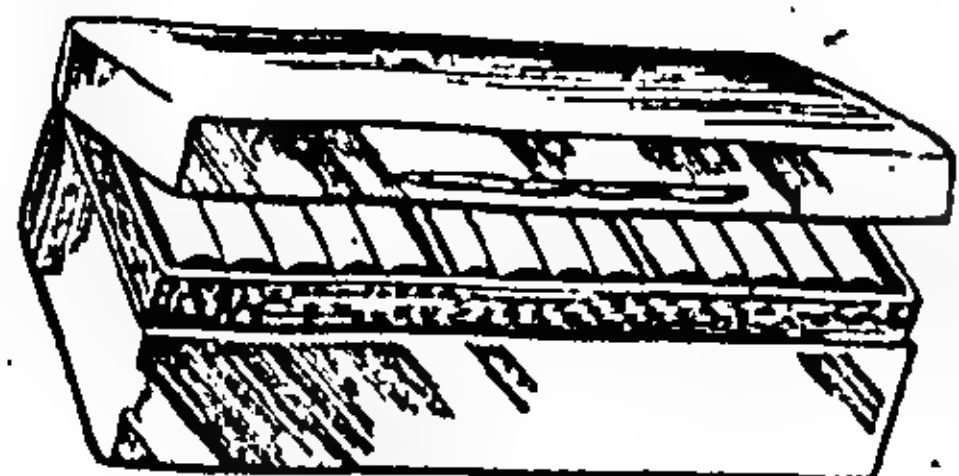
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**UNEMPLOYMENT
RELIEF PLAN**

A remarkable proposal for the financing of public works out of the resources of the social insurance funds, as a measure against unemployment, has been approved by the French Government. The scheme has been put forward by the Minister of Labour, M. Adrien Marquet, who is an active figure among the Neo-Socialists, as they are called. A comprehensive programme of public works has been framed, somewhat on the lines of earlier proposals based on a survey of the deficiencies in the economic equipment of the country, started by the National Economic Council in 1926. M. Marquet's scheme, however, differs from earlier proposals on several essential points, particularly in respect of the geographical distribution of the proposed public works, and the methods of financing them. It is proposed to avoid recourse to the Treasury and also any direct demand for credits to finance the programme. It is intended that the expenditure involved shall be met by six annual instalments from the social insurance funds. M. Marquet considers that it will be possible to obtain from these funds a total of about 10,000 million francs (roughly £130,000,000 at par of exchange) and that the money can be made available in instalments over six years; so that the funds would advance between June, 1934, and December, 1940, about 70 per cent. of their available resources, retaining 25 per cent. for their own use. The advances made from the funds are to be applied solely to public works under the responsibility of the Government, which will see that no subsidies are granted except for works backed by the guarantee of local authorities or recognised public utility undertakings which have the power to contract loans. The programme provides for the distribution of large projects over different areas of the country, in proportion to the amount of unemployment prevailing. It is estimated that employment will be found directly for about 100,000 unemployed, but the scheme is expected to have an important psychological effect in providing an example of schemes of a profitable, visible, large and useful character. The scheme has not escaped criticism. Some critics argue that the relatively small amount of the annual instalments will not enable the programme to produce results which will affect the present depression. It is also urged that as the French Social Insurance Act of 1930 provides for investment of half the capital of these funds by way of loans to public bodies, cheap housing societies, and so on, the Government would be better advised in encouraging the funds to seek investments of

NOTES OF THE DAY

THE ROAD BRANCHES

Sometime this month, when the Chamber of Deputies reassembles, there will probably be an announcement as to French policy with regard to the future of the franc. Observers declare that devaluation sentiment is spreading throughout the country and that many of the deputies will return to Paris "instructed" to demand a change in monetary policy. French farmers and business men are grumbling increasingly about the stagnant condition of their trades and the sacrifice entailed in a slight devaluation might be acceptable to them, provided it offered a hope of bridging the morass in which they are at present floundering. Any move in the direction of devaluation on the part of France, would have an immediate effect on the gold bloc allies, it is believed. Switzerland, with so much gold she doesn't know what to do with it, is beginning to feel uneasy about the advisability of maintaining old monetary standards when the most progressive nations are experimenting, or contemplating experiment, with a devalued money unit. So far as the European gold-bloc nations are concerned, a lessening of the comparative values of their currencies might very easily give a fillip to their trade which would relieve the economic pressure and the minds of industrialists.

DISAPPOINTING TAXES

Without doubt the gold bloc as a whole will be guided by the French decision. French policy will be affected by the drop of 874,000,000 francs below the budgetary estimate in tax returns for the second quarter of the current year. But, according to M. Germain-Martin, the Minister of Finance, this disappointing tax yield is only one of many factors tending to compel the French Government to turn from its "rigid gold orthodoxy." Economists, who are becoming more and more loquacious in France, maintain that devaluation is no longer viewed with the same apprehension as when the Doumergue Cabinet took office early this year. They agree with the British experts that abandonment of the gold standard would almost certainly do no harm, as France's financial position, on the whole, is secure and sound. The question is: What good would it accomplish?

INSUFFICIENT ECONOMY

Disappointment is manifest in France, too, at the insufficiency of economy produced by recent legislation. It is felt that, though the Government has certainly accomplished much, the measures have been too much restricted. What is needed in France, it is felt, is something rather revolutionary in the way of government economy, a wholesale whittling down of overhead which can never earn the disparaging appellation of "half-way measures." What France desires is a lowering of retail prices, which can be achieved only through a lowering of production costs, which can, in turn, be attained only by cutting the taxation bills of the nation. So it all comes back to the budget, which must be reduced to start the recovery movement. Whether the solution is as simple as it seems only experiment can show, but there is a definite indication that the sentiment has swung from light-faced deflation towards restricted inflation, and the change may be nearer than we anticipate.

EFFECT ON CHINA

All this monetary reform talk may have little or nothing to do with China, but it would be as well to bear in mind the undeniable relationship existing between all modern currencies, and the effect of example. Britain, one recalls, probably popularised the modern move towards inflation. Britain was forced into that course against the will of the majority, and even against the judgment of many who admitted that it was "the only way." The trimming of the pound's weight, far from providing a temporary relief, set Britain in the saddle again, and since those early days of devaluation she has ridden far towards permanent recovery. America, for one, has followed Britain. France seems to be weakening in her determination to hold aloof. What will China do if this continuation of devaluation commences to pinch her trade? That is a very pertinent query just now.

this character. It is also feared in some quarters that to withdraw from the funds the freedom of investment they now enjoy will strike a blow at their independence and move a step further towards centralisation and Government control.

**CHURCH'S PART IN
KEEPING PEACE**

By the Rev. A. D. BELDEN

THE issue in regard to war is the supreme issue for Christianity in the modern world. Another world-war will smash civilization, and in doing so it will smash Christianity and put the fortunes of Christianity back where they were at the break-up of the Roman Empire. If the Church endorses the next world-war it will be the final discrediting of Christianity in the eyes of the rest of humanity. The one aspect of the peace problem which is most urgent for Christian people is the production of a faultless peace-witness on the part of the Christian Church. I have been much impressed of late by the widespread conviction entertained by folk outside the Churches—who make no profession of religion at all—that the Churches ought to be wholeheartedly and courageously pacifist. The Churches, on the other hand, in their endeavour to be consistent and to apply their gospel to real life, find themselves badly confused by the conflict of loyalties.

It is not the first time in history that the Church has been confused about fundamental moral issues. The history of the Christian Church is the history of an increasingly sensitive and expanding conscience in regard to the will of Christ.

Through long generations the grossness of the sin of slavery was not apparent to Christian men and women. When at last the great Emancipation movement was started in our own land it was opposed by the majority of Churches as well as by the official Church. Moreover, it was opposed by means of the fiercest appeals to patriotic sentiment, to the apparent sanction of Scripture, and to the threat it involved to British industry.

Yet history has shown that on all these counts the minority were right, and there is to-day throughout Christendom a final conviction of the sin of slavery.

Has not a similar history attended the sin of war in our own generation? The longer humanity sins a certain sin, especially sin of a social kind, the more the inward horror of the thing becomes explicit for all to understand. This is what has happened to War.

In a very real sense, for almost the first time in history on a grand scale, War has been found out for the foul and unmitigated crime that it is. The modern world is so highly and closely organised that the next war, to an even greater degree than the last, will be a world war, bringing within measurable distance certainly, the destruction of white civilisation and possibly the ultimate destruction, through a series of wars, of civilisation the world over.

Also by the new aerial and poison weapons involved, it will be of a peculiarly cowardly and atrocious character. "The Manual of Medical and Chemical Warfare" published by the British War Office on August 6, 1923, deals with arsenical warfare gases, and says: "They are readily dispersed without decomposition by the aid of heat in the form of an intensely irritating smoke—i.e., in actual particles of an extremely minute size, such a free mutual self-giving as a substance in this very fine par-

ticulate form can remain suspended in the air for an immense time. . . . In man slight and transitory nasal irritation is appreciable after an exposure of five minutes to as little as one part of diphenyl-chlorarsine in 200,000,000 parts of air. And as the concentration is increased, the irritation shows itself sooner and in rapidly increasing severity.

"Marked symptoms are produced by exposure to one part in 50,000,000 parts of air, and it may be stated in general that this concentration forms the limit of tolerance of ordinary individuals for an exposure lasting five minutes. A concentration of one part in 10,000,000 will probably incapacitate a man within one minute from the pain and distress, and nausea and vomiting accompanying an exposure of from two to three minutes to this concentration. . . . These substances are generally used to cause such sensory irritation that the victim is unable to tolerate a respirator."

As a recent writer, the late Mr. F. A. Atkins, has said: "Read this carefully and you will see that it is an explanation in the language of income-tax forms of how men, women and children will be choked, poisoned and killed in the next war."

Modern warfare is thus declared to be no longer a warfare of professionals, but wholesale mutual extermination of non-combatants and largely innocent populations. In short, murder, and especially murder of women and children.

From such an atrocity, or even from the bare suggestion of complicity in it, one would think the Christian Church everywhere would instinctively and absolutely recoil. Yet, the Christian Church, through many leading representatives, is still attempting to say: "Yes, all this is very hateful, but there are circumstances in which we are prepared to do it."

So long as the Churches take that attitude they will simply "cut no ice," as the popular phrase goes, in the peace problem at all, for if this kind of war is waged, even in defence of the sanctions of the League of Nations, it will still be an abominable and cowardly atrocity.

What the world needs above all in the present situation is a sanction of human unity. The settlement of this great question on grounds merely of expediency or of national self-interest, however, mutual, will still mean that the heart of the world is fundamentally unchanged, and that its unity is motivated by fear and not by genuine brotherhood.

Such a state of mind, because it is founded upon self-interest, will never shake itself free of the strife and suspicion that breed war. A merely prudential solution of the war problem is not good enough for the Church of Divine love.

It should by all means give all the support that lies in its power to the policy of substituting Law for War, as the means of settling national disputes. Nevertheless, the real need of the world will yet have to be met. That need is for of heat in the form of an intensely irritating smoke—i.e., in actual particles of an extremely minute size, such a free mutual self-giving as a substance in this very fine par-

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The Very Idea!

CRUIKSHANK SINGS

By George.

THE scene was in the office.

The hour was about 3 p.m.—which feels like 3 a.m. in the office.

Cruikshank lifted up a voice and sang in feeling tones and flat notes the opening bars of the Yeomen of England.

It was the sort of voice that in the days of Boadicea would have roused hordes of savages to a warlike frenzy and caused the downfall of an empire.

In more civilised times it might have called the cows home across the sands of Dee. Nowadays it would drive a deaf man from home—or lay him down to sleep.

"Cruikshank," we bellowed melodiously as he was taking in a refill of air preparatory to the slaughter of the second verse, "Why don't you conserve your voice and join the Philharmonic Society?"

"Can't," said Cruikshank laconically. He resented having to refuel twice.

"Why?"

"Can't raise the five bucks entrance."

"Can't raise the five you mean."

As a form of punishment, Cruikshank went right through the second verse before replying.

"As a matter of fact I applied for membership and they refused."

"Ah. You must have given a demonstration. Fatal, old chap, to reveal your talent. They were jealous!"

"I don't know. I think they must be snobs."

"Perhaps they really are musical. I never thought of that."

"Tra-la-la-la-la sang Cruikshank in crescendo. He was looking very red round the gills."

"Come and have a . . . ?", we said reaching for our hat.

Cruikshank reached for his hat.

" . . . a walk," we finished.

" . . . la-la-la-la," sang Cruikshank. He knew he wasn't far off now.

" . . . la-la-la," it was paining him as much as us.

"A drink," we said feebly.

As we polished off a large tankard, Cruikshank whispered confidentially and a little huskily,

"You know, George, I couldn't have sung another note! Not another note! Not a single."

"Don't rub it in Cruik. Boy. Another tankard please."

DUMB BELLES LETTRES.

By Juliet Lowell.



I know all of you gentleman will jump up and down with joys.

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Sirs and Gentlemen: I know all of you gentleman will jump up and down with joys when you hear this idea. Make together all in one piece combination kitchen work table, kitchen stool, garbage shair and bath tub. Everybody needs some of these things and you sure will sell a million right away. I would like your check soon for my bank folded up last month and if I don't get something to eat soon I will fold up too.

Respectfully yours, Peter Rake.

Sense And Nonsense.

Manhasset Mall, Manhasset, N. Y. Dear Editor:

You rejected my article "It's good to be Blue," which just goes to show how green you are. I'll deal with you when you get some sense.

Thomas R. (signed)

A Mere Trifle.

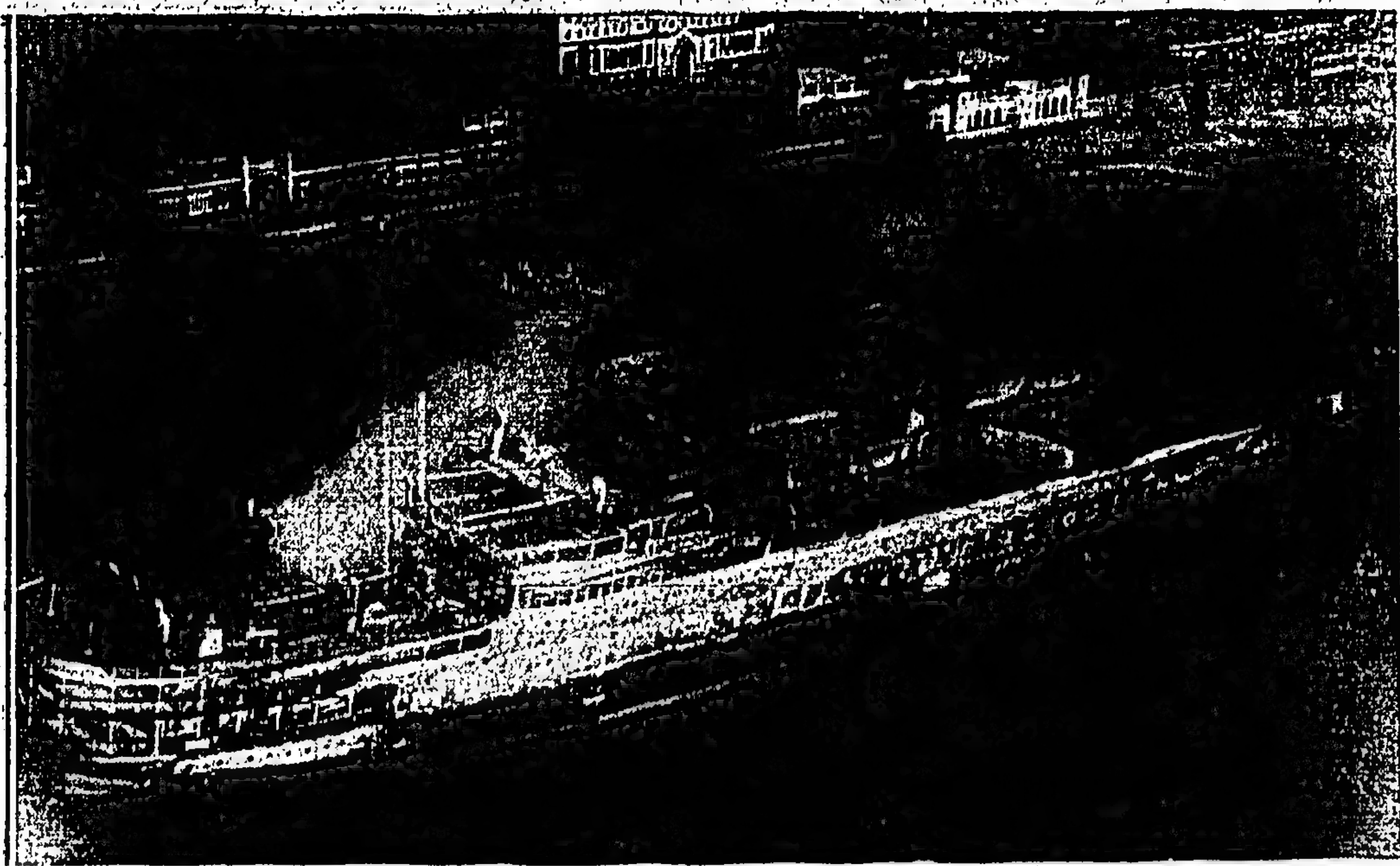
Western & Southern Life Insurance Company Cincinnati, Ohio Gentlemen:

Your letter asked me what my Father died of. I don't exactly remember—but I'm sure it was nothing important.

Bella L. (signed)



"I'll bet that Walter wouldn't be so uppish, Mr. Wilks, if I told him you were a J. P."



The first picture to reach Hongkong of the Morro Castle disaster. Taken in tow by the coastguard cutter the Morro Castle broke free from the tow line and drifted onto the beach at Asbury Park, just a few miles from the spot where disaster overtook her. The scorched, smouldering hulk is shown as it wallowed in the shallow surf, a few yards from the beach on which some of its survivors landed.

KIANGSI FORT FALLS

Government Troops Advance Again

Shanghai, Oct. 8. Chinese reports from Nanchang state that Shihcheng, an important Communist stronghold in southern Kiangsi, has been occupied by Government troops after a severe engagement, following a bombardment.

The Government forces continue to advance, according to semi-official advices.—*Reuter*.

SNATCHER TO BE BIRCHED

STOLE PURSE FROM WOMAN

Shum Lai-kwong, unemployed, aged 26, was charged with snatching a purse valued at \$4.00 from Chau Chan, a married woman, in Shanghai Street, on October 6, and was sentenced to four months' hard labour, with 12 strokes of the birch, by Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

It was stated that complainant was walking along Shanghai Street, with her relatives on October 6, at 2.30 p.m., when defendant came up behind her and snatched her purse. Complainant and her relatives immediately gave chase and raised the alarm.

The cries were heard by Leung San, an unemployed man, who joined in the chase, and pursued and caught the defendant after chasing him from Shanghai Street, near Fife Street, into Canton Road and Reclamation Street.

GIRL'S THEFT OF WATCH

GETS MONTH IN GAOL

Sentence of one month was passed on Wong Lai-ching, a girl of 19, who was convicted by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of theft of a gold wrist watch.

Sergeant Dall told the Court that the watch was the property of Fok Hau-shing, a school-teacher, residing at Stanley Village. She discovered the loss of her watch at 8 p.m. on Saturday, and inquiries made by the police led to defendant, who had been to the school to see the complainant that morning.

Questioned by the police, defendant admitted having taken the watch, but she said she picked it up on the floor—of the school after a small child had left it there. The watch was eventually found in a watchmaker's shop in Stanley.

The Y.M.C.A. Service—Dance postponed on October 1, owing to the typhoon, will be held in the West Lounge of the European Y.M.C.A., on Monday, October 15.

Creeping Business Recovery

PROSPECTS FOR U.S. INDUSTRY

MORE SILVER PURCHASES

Washington, Oct. 7. A creeping business recovery in America over the next three or four months is expected. Business sentiment is better, as is also the Washington political influence on general recovery. An overwhelmingly Democratic and pro-New Deal success in the November elections is confidently anticipated.

The dollar is likely to remain at its present gold content indefinitely.

Silver is being purchased abroad in larger quantities than appears on published records and purchases will continue despite the Chinese protest and questioning from Britain.

KEEPING DOLLAR STEADY.

Revaluation of silver is unlikely at any time soon. The Stabilisation Fund will be used to keep the dollar from getting too strong during the next few months in order to maintain a favourable export position.

There is agitation within the Government for lifting the restric-



Mrs. Karlette Mulvihill Green, the 17-year-old girl who has backed out of her marriage to a truck driver and is now in the Far East searching for an ideal husband. She says Hongkong men are "a pretty mouldy lot."

tions on foreign exchange transactions.

Satisfactory developments are expected in the NRA and the new NRA board is considered good.

The chances for a strike trade are not particularly good and numerous strikes are expected.—*per Swan, Culbertson and Fritz*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

IF A MAN TAKE NO THOUGHT ABOUT WHAT IS DISTANT, HE WILL FIND SORROW NEAR AT HAND.—*Confucius*.

Hospital Sunday will be observed at St. Andrew's Church on Sunday, October 14, when the preacher at matins will be Dr. H. D. Matthews, who is a member of the Church Council.

While Tao Kam-tong, a seaman of the British steamer Kalgan, was looking in a city shop window, he was robbed of a packet of Chinese medicine. The thief, Li Si-sun, aged 22, was caught and on his appearance before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning, pleaded guilty to the charge and was sent to prison for one month.

"This is his third time back," said Sergeant Moran at the Central Magistracy this morning in prosecuting a man named Chan Cheung, who was charged with returning from banishment. Defendant, who was sent away in 1927, stated that he was only passing through on his way to Kwongchauwan. The Magistrate (Mr. E. W. Hamilton) passed sentence of 12 months.

Tsang Shing, a 21-year-old unemployed youth, who pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen this morning to stealing a purse containing 45 cents from a youth newspaper hawker, was sentenced to three months' hard labour. Detective-Sergeant Goodwin said complainant was asleep in the pavement in Wing Lok Street, when he was awakened by someone interfering with his pocket. He saw the defendant with his purse in his hand. He caught hold of him and shouted for assistance. Two Chinese detectives came up and arrested the thief.

One case of diphtheria (imported) was reported to the local health authorities on Friday.

Fire broke out at No. 9 Stone Nui-lan Lane, Wanchai, last night and partially burnt a wooden partition on the premises of an oil presser. The fire was extinguished. The outbreak was caused by paper being burnt at a joss-offering.

Charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning with being in possession of two revolvers and five rounds of ammunition without a permit from the I.G.P., Chan Lok-shui, 38, was remanded for three days in Police custody. Sub-inspector W. Cunningham, who prosecuted, said defendant was arrested on the Yau-mat Ferry Wharf on October 4.

Before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, two unemployed men, Lei Cheung, 41 years, and Tang Ping-chi, 22 years, were charged with keeping a gaming house at 334, Portland Street, and the possession of 352 po-pai lottery tickets. On pleading guilty they were both fined \$50, on assault, one month's hard labour, on both charges, sentences to run consecutively.

Chan Bun, unemployed, aged 27 years, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged with the possession of a screw-driver, for an unlawful purpose, in a scavenging lane behind 209, Fung Choi Street, at 3 a.m. on Sunday. When defendant was arrested, he said he was carrying the instrument to stab a man named Li Chan-chow, whom he alleged had a grudge against him. In court, defendant said Li Chan-chow was always striking him and when he was arrested he was looking for him to stab him. His Worship sentenced him to two months' hard labour.

DEMOCRAT HOPES RUN HIGH

Victories Predicted in Senate Race

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Oct. 7. Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Democratic Senatorial Committee, predicts Democratic victories in the senatorial contests in twenty states, involving 23 seats and including New York, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Washington and Nevada.—*United Press*.

WELSH MINE DISASTER FUND

Hongkong List Now Closed

The following donations to the Lord Mayor of London's Fund on behalf of the sufferers and dependents in the Wrexham mine disaster are acknowledged with thanks:

Already acknowledged \$402.00.

Mr. J. W. Franks 10.00.

Total \$412.00.

The local Fund is now closed, and the sum raised is being forwarded by T.T. to London.

AMERICAN STOCK MARKETS

PROSPECTS SAID TO BE BETTER

New York, Oct. 6. Standard Statistics report:—The stock market prospects for the next three to six months appear definitely improved due to more moderate Administration policies toward business. In one's investment policy emphasis should be upon prime dividend-paying stocks with at least moderate liquid resources kept in reserve for future buying opportunities. The most attractive stock groups include automobile parts, building chemicals, financing, food products, industrial machinery, and retail trade.

Medium grade bonds having satisfactory earnings protection offer the greatest relative attraction from a standpoint of income and appreciation and new commitments should be directed toward issues of this character.—*Swan, Culbertson and Fritz*.

FANLING GOLF THE CAPTAIN'S CUP COMPETITION

In the Captain's Cup Competition played at Fanling during the week-end, D.S. Edward qualified with a score of 72 (73-7). Other scores were: Cant. D.B. McNeill, 83-10-78; P. Morrison, 88-14-74; D.J. Gilmore, 83-8-76; I. H. Gears, 84-9-76. There were 32 entries.

A lecture will be given by Professor W. Brown to the H.K. University Education Society on Friday, November 2, at 8.30 p.m., in Room K of the University.

RADIO BROADCAST

Travel Talk from Studio By "Globe Trotter."

Z. E. K. PROGRAMME.

From ZBW on a wavelength of 855 metres (845 kilocycles):

5-8 p.m. European Programme. 5-6 p.m. (Approx.) A Relay of the Band of the 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster C. Eldicott, A.R.C.M., from the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, by kind permission of Lieut. Colonel H. E. Williams, D.S.O., M.C.

6-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel, Roof Garden.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.08-7.25 p.m. Vocal Gems. Peggy Ann (Rodgers).

The Girl Friend (Rodgers).

Wild Violets (Stolz).

Maria Elmer and Martin Kraemer of the State Opera Dresden, with Chorus and Orchestra.

7.25-7.40 p.m. Piano-forte Recital by Sergei Rachmaninoff.

1. Dance of the Gnomes (List).

2. Etude Tableaux in A Minor, Op. 39 (Rachmaninoff).

3. One Lives but Once—Waltz (Strauss).

7.40-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Talk on "The Arcadia of the East" by the Globe Trotter.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, Tokyo Mid-day Press News, etc.

10.45 p.m. Close Down.

All Relays of the Hongkong Hotel Orchestras are by courtesy of the Management.

8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded Programme from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 840 kilocycles.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Carnival Suite, Op. 9 (Schumann).

London Symphony Orchestra Conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

1. Preamble; 2. Pierrot; 3. Arlequin; 4. Valse Noble; 5. Eusebius; 6. Florestan; 7. Coquette; 8. Papillons; 9. Lettres d'Amour; 10. Chiarina; 11. Chrypin; 12. Estrella; 13. Reconnaissance; 14. Pantalon et Colombine; 15. Valse Allemande; 16. Paganini; 17. Aveu; 18. Promenade; 19. Pausa; 20. Marche des Davidsbundler contre les Philistins.

8.55-9.12 p.m. Old Times.

Violet Lorraine—Medley.

Violet Lorraine (Comedienne), What's Yours?—A Convivial Medley (arr. Debroy Somers).

Debroy Somers Band.

9.12-9.30 p.m. Variety.

Song Carnival of 1932 Stars.

Debroy Somers Band, Flanagan and Allen, Carlyle Cousins and Dan Donnan, Peggy Wood, and Albert Sandler and his Orchestra.

Fox-Trot—Good-Bye Again.

Isham Jones and his Orchestra.

Piano Solos—Piano Pie (No. 2).

George Scott-Wood.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m. Grand Opera.

Grand Fantasia on "The Mastersingers of Nuremberg" (Wagner) Symphony Orchestra conducted by Clemens Schmalstieg.

Aria—"Jeanne d'Arc"—Adieu, Forest. (Farewell, ye Mountains) (Tchaikowsky).

Maria Jeriza (Soprano).

Orchestral—"Samson and Delilah"—Bacchanale (Saint-Saens).

Orchestral—"Damnation of Faust"—Rakoczy March (Berlioz, Op. 24).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

Aria—"Traviata"—Dei Mio Bionditi Spiriti (Verdi) Beniamino Gigli (Tenor).

10 p.m. Close Down.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's Broadcast from The Manila Station:

To-day's broadcast by KZRM, Manila:

8 p.m. Studio Musical Variety.

8.30 p.m. Practice Hour—Conservatory of Music.

8.40 p.m. Spanish Information Period.

8.50 p.m. English Information Period.

9 p.m. Sunday Champion.

9.10 p.m. Request.

9.20 p.m. Songs of the Philippines—Nita de Macalino, soprano; Nita de Macalino, soprano.

9.30 p.m. Princes' Fair—Sponsored by F. H. Stevens & Co.

9.40 p.m. Chevrolet Jamboree—Pacific Commercial Co.—Chevrolet Orchestra, Louise Wash, Johnny Harris, and Ramon Mendoza.

9.50 p.m. Dance Programme.

10.30 p.m. Sign Off.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES.

Dr. Fu Manchou Comes to The Radio Microphone.

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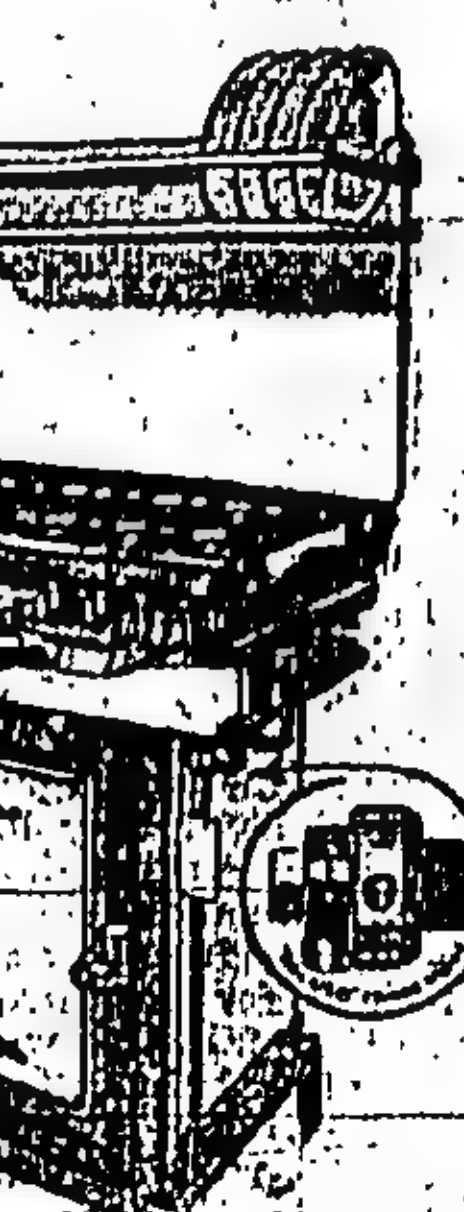
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WEEK-END SOCCER REVIEWED: GOALS IN PLENTY

CRICKET
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FEATURESLANCASHIRE'S
TIMIDNESS

Commenting on the close of the English cricket season, "Watchman," writing in a recent issue of the London Observer, has the following to say:

Little remains of the first-class season beyond those pleasant games known as festival cricket, in which drives and googlies, cuts and swerves, mingle with can breezes at Scarborough and Folkestone. Even the hundred-and-one ingests on the "H's," and "M's," and "W's" of the Test matches are over, and a backward glance brings into view a rich pageant of varied cricket clothed in splendid sunshine. The batting and the bowling may not always have been perfect—when was it?—but the weather has been wonderful. Most have grown upon those dismal notice boards which, in other seasons, have announced so frequently that there will be no play before lunch or that the umpire will inspect the cricket at four o'clock, neck-and-neck till the last month, and a dazzling number of individual triumphs. Of course, we have not had sunshine all the time, literally or metaphorically. There have been many instances of unapplied caution, exaggerated difficulties, belated declarations, and the younger players have again stopped short of their earlier promise. But such things have been too long familiar to cause lasting irritation, and at the worst they are merely interludes.

PERVERSE CAUTION.

Lancashire finished at the head of the counties for the fifth time since the War. They won the championship in 1914, 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923. Their record of 1934 is a record of exceptional good which, does not at a glance suggest that they were in the habit of lingering by the wayside. Yet they were at times severely criticised, that the glory of batting is confined to human frailties. The reason was that when Lancashire had reached the head of the Championship their extreme caution had a touch of perversity. They were the little birds who could sing, and wouldn't.

There are some men born into the world to play rugged cricket. They have not the physical qualities to score quickly. The supple wrists which mean cuts, the open shoulders which mean big drives, the quick feet which mean many ways of scoring, have been denied them by nature. They can, however, defend stubbornly, and one or two are valuable. Iron defence on a side is valuable. But the majority of the Lancashire side have been generously endowed with physical gifts. Occasionally they bat in a way to prove their true resourcefulness. Watson, when he cares, can drive beautifully. He has most of the strokes. So has Liddon. So has Hopwood. But too often they front over-pitched balls as if the bowling were of perfect length. Even Paynter, born to demolish bowlers, seldom lets himself go in these days, and although Tyldesley has elegance and power he has dropped the long stroke which made him an England player more than ten years ago. Enterprise is not encouraged in Lancashire.

TENACITY OF PURPOSE.

Rightly or wrongly, the team made up their mind never to take the curb off their tactics until even a million-to-one chance of defeat had been eliminated. As a consequence their batting was often drab, but although they were not a side to stir the emotions it was impossible to admire their tenacity of purpose. And if they often made batting look like a toil and a weariness, a painful duty to be carried out at all costs, their fielding had a joyous zest. Their bowling was varied and consistent, but it was fielding that made the attack formidable on good wickets. Lancashire, in fact, remembered that the ancient maxim, "a run saved is as good as a run made," remains one of cricket's mightiest truths.

In some respects Yorkshire resembled Lancashire. When at the wickets they often played with middle-aged elegance. In the field they batted as if they loved it. Sussex, too, was unwearingly alive in the field, although they again passed through a disappointing season, inasmuch as for the third year in succession they failed to win the Championship after being at the head of the counties for a long part of the summer. They were at times handicapped by their own policy. At a period when wins outright, not wins on the first innings, were necessary to them, they aped themselves to avoid cashing, and set themselves to avoid defeat. Considering that so far as prizes as fifteen points is awarded for a victory, and a mere five points for a win on the first innings, with three points given to the opposing side, it is astonishing that so few teams were willing to risk a little to gain a great



Soldier of Germany, who scored a surprise win against Ribbles in the Austin Plate. He was ridden by Delta.

Local
Football
Results

The following are the results of the Hongkong Football League programme during the week-end.

Division I.	
South China "B" 5 R.A.	1
Hongkong F.C. 1 East Lancs	1
South China "A" 2 Police	1
Division II.	
South China 6 Eastern Ath.	0
East Lancs 6 Hongkong F.C.	0
R.A. 3 Young Indians 2	2
University F.C. 2 Kowloon F.C.	1
S.W.B.'s 3 R.E.	1
Division III.	
East Lancs 13 Railway Rec.C.	0
Club de Recreo 5 R.E.	0
S.W. Borderers 4 Radio S.C.	0
R.A.F. 2 R.A.O.C.	0
R.A.S.C. 5 R.A.M.C.	0
Lincolns 2 Police	0

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HOMERUN KINGYankee Slugger's 48
Circuit Clouts

New York, Sept. 30. Lou Gehrig of the Yankees to-day was undisputed major league homerun clouter for 1934 with a total of 48 homers, 12 under the all-time mark established by his teammate, inimitable Babe Ruth, in 1927. Gehrig thus tied the mark run up by Jimmy Fox of the A's, 48, which the Athletic first baseman tallied in 1933. Fox, however, in 1932, ran up a total for the season of 55, but two under Ruth's all-time record. Fox wound up the 1934 season in second place with a total of 44 four-ply clouts, four under the total which he rolled up in 1933. Bob Johnson of the A's, Fox's teammate and new rival for hitting honours, finished the season with 34 homers. Hal Trosky of the Indians and Mel Ott of the Giants scored one less.

Other high scorers were Zuke Bonura of the White Sox, Earl Averill of the Indians, Jimmy Collins of the Reds, Babe Ruth of the Yankees and Wally Berger of the Braves. Ruth made 22.

The Interport rifle shooting practices on October 14, October 21 and October 28 will take place at Stonecutters, range at 2.30 p.m. each day. All those who are keen on selection are asked to make an effort to attend these last three practices. Persons intending to participate in the practices must make their own arrangements regarding transportation and ammunition.

A gratifying feature of the season has been the form of Warwickshire and Derbyshire. Not so very long ago they were the doormats of the Championship. Their progress has not been obtrusive. They are not notable for glittering personalities. They are level and well-balanced. Warwickshire have not been so high in the Championship since they rose from fourteenth place to first, and won the Championship for the only time in their history under F. R. Foster's captaincy twenty-three years ago. The averages tell their own plain tale of a season of exceptionally heavy scoring, the reflection of wickets consistently in favour of the batsman. Hammond for his county made 2,020 runs in twenty innings, with an average of 126.25. There is something of mockery about this record when one remembers his repeated failures in the Test matches. Nothing vital has gone out of his game. That is certain. No one is better armed to rise above difficulties or to make the best bowling look poor. Probably he will take a proper revenge on the Austrians at the next meeting. Even "W. G." had his lapses.

IS THIS TO BE HOWE'S
BIG SEASON?These Unfortunate Friendly Matches:
Danger Of Congesting Heavy
League Programme

(By "Veritas").

LAST minute postponements cut the first division programme in half during the week-end, yet the rate of scoring in all three divisions remained extraordinarily high, and on average was truly up to the unusual mark set last week.

FOR instance. In the course of 14 matches, 72 goals were scored. The week previous 93 goals resulted from 18 matches, nevertheless 37 goals came from third division games last Saturday, and of these East Lancs scored 13. Although the aggregate remained as good, there was not the same consistency of scoring over the entire programme.

IN scoring 13 against the Railway Sports Club (that's 21 goals in two matches the Railway have conceded), the East Lancs earned the distinction of compiling both the highest scores and the best aggregate for the day.

THE Football Association may become rather chary of local league teams arranging week-end friendlies with Canton eleven. The Borderers' game with Canton Air Force for instance had far reaching effects, causing the cancellation of the Borderers' game with Kowloon and St. Joseph's encounter with Chinese Athletic.

BECAUSE several of their men were wanted for the Air Force team, the Athletic were unable to field a side against the Saints yesterday.

IN the interests of the league programme it is to be hoped that local clubs will not arrange too many engagements outside of the Colony. If run through without interruption, the league, cup and shield programme is sufficient to keep clubs fully occupied this winter, and any postponements means only congestion with the accompanying danger of chaos and unplayed games at the end of the season.

YOU can't tell the Club anything about the fickleness of the gods of fortune. A week ago they smiled. On Saturday they grinned, and on a devilish sort of way, and what a way, which were goals against the Saints, were relegated to the "well tried, hard luck" class against East Lancs.

AND that's not discrediting the soldiers, whose tireless defending was worthy of some sort of recognition. But it's tough on a team to see jolly good shots rush down, and others just missing their objective.

I HAVE a feeling that this is going to be Albert Howe's big year in local football. He has played better in the first two matches than at any time last season. He is picking up the ball better on the run, and there is a noticeable improvement in his

shooting. On his day Howe is still one of the cleverest centre-forwards in Hongkong, and if he can prolong that day until next February, he is going to heat straight for further interport honours.

ALBERT the Club attack still requires the dashing genius of Ernie Strange. Howe is made to stand too much on his own. With Strange back in the forward line Howe will be relieved of the entire responsibility of scoring goals.

IT will be nothing short of a crime if L. G. Robertson allows rugby to lure him away from soccer. He is a fine type of half back, and allied with Pote Hunt, and later, it is to be hoped, Gamble, helps to complete the best half back line the Club has had

How They
Stand In
The Tables

The following are the placings in the local football league consequent upon the week-end matches.

FIRST DIVISION.	
	P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts.
South China	2 2 0 0 7 2 4
East Lancs	2 2 0 0 7 3 4
Club de Recreo	2 1 0 1 6 5 3
Borderers	2 0 0 2 3 3 2
Artillery	2 1 0 1 6 5 3
Police	2 0 1 1 5 7 1
Recrolo	1 0 0 1 5 5 1
St. Joseph's	1 0 0 1 5 5 1
Borderers	1 0 0 1 5 5 1
Kowloon	1 0 0 1 5 5 1
Lincolns	1 0 0 1 5 5 1
Navy	0 0 0 0 0 0 0

SECOND DIVISION.	
	P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts.
South China	2 2 0 0 9 0 4
University	2 1 0 1 2 1 3
Borderers	2 1 0 1 4 3 3
East Lancs	2 1 0 1 8 6 3
Navy	1 0 0 1 6 0 2
Athletic	1 0 0 1 6 0 2
Lincolns	1 0 0 1 6 0 2
Eastern	2 0 1 1 1 1 1
Club	2 0 1 1 0 5 1
Engineers	2 0 2 0 2 6 0
Kowloon	2 0 2 0 1 8 0
Young Indians	2 0 2 0 5 10 0

THIRD DIVISION.	
	P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts.
East Lancs	2 2 0 0 15 1 4
Borderers	2 2 0 0 12 3 4
Air Force	2 2 0 0 6 0 4
Artillery	2 2 0 0 6 0 4
Recrolo	2 1 1 0 6 5 2
Police	2 1 1 0 6 5 2
R.A.M.C.	2 0 2 0 2 4 0
R.A.O.C.	2 0 2 0 2 4 0
Engineers	2 0 2 0 1 7 0
Railway	2 0 2 0 0 21 0

SOUTH CHINA REVERT TO THEIR
OLD ANTICSSCORE AN UNIMPRESSIVE WIN
AGAINST POLICE

(By "Veritas").

After exciting us to outbursts of unconcealed enthusiasm last week, South China became their old provocative selves yesterday when they engaged the Police at Caroline Hill, and scored a most unsatisfactory win by the odd goal in three.

The inference to be drawn from the game was that without the services of Ip Pak-wah, Tam Kong-pak and Fung King-cheung, South China are but a mediocre team. This may not be strictly true, but there is no gainsaying that with these three players absent, the Caroline Hillites are nowhere near such a formidable side.

Chief trouble yesterday was inability to adapt themselves to unusual conditions. Showers in the early part of the match left the ground surface slippery, and

since the palmy days of Jimmy Stewart and McTavish.

IT is well nigh impossible to associate this year's East Lancashire team with that which operated last season. The personnel has changed but little, but they have learnt valuable lessons upon which they are now improving.

JUST a little more "punch" in the attack round about the penalty area would make a tremendous difference to the results of their matches. Man for man they compare favourably with the best of local teams. In midfield they can always hold their own; nothing much is given away in defence; approach work by the forwards is snappy and well conceived. The big need is quicker and more accurate shooting.

DEFINITELY a team of promise.

SOUTH China "B" are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet. In fact they burn up the turf with their speed. Splendid little outfit this. Youthful; ambitious in their conception of attack; unhampered by established precedents of "formations." Just a lively bunch of youngsters, who owe slavish allegiance to one precept only, that it's goals which win matches.

THEY rapped the Artillery hard on Saturday, spiking their guns and capturing their forts with practically no opposition.

A LONE figure was Pardoe, the Gunners' centre-half (who has so much natural football in him, that no matter how badly his colleagues are failing, he remains a figure of importance on the field.

BLAKE's first division experience with Kowloon is going to prove a valuable asset to him and the University this year, although I am wondering if a return to second division football at this stage of his career is going to do him any good. Gradually he will be forced to adapt himself to that type of football, which, with all due respect is retrogressive to after first division stuff.

NONE the less the Varsity are going to benefit, for it was Blake who notched the winning goal against his old club on Saturday.

THE hand of commiseration is this week extended to the Railway Sports Club. To concede 13 goals in their second appearance in local league football is very disheartening, but the Railwaymen can find encouragement from the experience of the Club de Recreo. They were the catalyst of every team in the third division last winter. On Saturday they beat the Royal Engineers five nil.

On the other hand the Police saw that such conditions could be turned to advantage. They kept the ball moving very openly, feeding each wing in turn, and firing at Wong Whir whenever opportunity presented itself. It paid them to the extent of allowing them to cross over with a goal lead.

With a little bit of luck it would have been two goals. South China were seen in a better light in the second half, not so much because they improved as players, but because the ground had once again dried, and allowed firmer control over the ball.

FINESSE BUT NO FINISH. By no stretch of the imagination could the standard of football be described as high. The Police, although quite fast and thorough, lacked finesse. The Chinese exhibited a fair amount of finesse, but no finish. So the play remained at that halfway stage known as mediocre.

In defence, which includes the half backs, South China were water tight. The one goal conceded was something likely to happen to any team. It resulted from pure opportunism on the part of the Chinese who were overkicking, and once again erred in tactical judgment by keeping the ball in the shooting territory.



Valorous (Heard up) being led in after winning the Kimberley Handicap at Happy Valley on Saturday.

SHANGHAI'S
INTERPORT
CONFIDENCEDONALD LEACH
ON PROSPECTS

What are Shanghai's prospects in the forthcoming interport cricket match with Hongkong. That is the question which must be foremost in the minds of all local cricket enthusiasts says the Shanghai Times.

Shanghai should be confident of success, for man for man, compared with the Colony's side, the northern Eleven has the balance of power. True, there is a slight weakness in Shanghai's attack, but this is easily outweighed by the phenomenal batting strength which will be fielded. There is, however, another element which may be a big factor in deciding the fate of the China "Ashes." If the weather remains fine for a few days before the match, Shanghai's chances will be exceeding bright, but a weticket will be more to the liking of the visitors' bowlers.

SKIPPER SATISFIED.

"I cannot say that we are certain to win, but I feel secure in expressing a great deal of confidence in our prospects," D. W. Leach, the Shanghai skipper, told the Shanghai Times. "I am perfectly satisfied with the selections and I expect it will be a better all-round side than that which has been chosen. "What weakness there may be in our bowling is more than outweighed by our batting strength. The Colony's main hopes lie in the chance of three wickets usually want it to be the better he is pleased, and the better he usually plays at the end of it. And there are many who hold the same view. I do not imagine that "best-of-three" matches would appeal to the Americans, for example, though perhaps they suffer more than most from the long match, owing to the amount they take out of themselves by relying so largely on an overwhelming service. And it is noticeable that, when in an important tournament, it is a question of whether the final of the singles shall be a best-of-three or a best-of-five. I should doubt whether, if a vote were taken of the hundred leading players of the world, more than ten per cent, would vote for the shorter test; and, indeed, I see no reason why a fit man should.

EXPERIENCED LEADER.

Leach is particularly fitted for the leadership of the Shanghai team, for he possesses an intimate and valuable knowledge of the Hongkong players' strengths and weaknesses, and will consequently have the advantage of knowing what type of bowling will be best used in the attack.

Considering the interview, he pointed out that Shanghai would have no difficulty in finding an opening pair—in fact the problem would be to know who not to use.

FRED MILLER
WHIPS CROWLEYCHAMP WINS FIRST
BOUT ABROAD

London, Oct. 1.

Freddie Miller, on a little invasion of foreign fields, won a decision here against Baby Arizmendi, of England, in 10 rounds.

The Cincinnati youth, recognized by the National boxing association as world featherweight champion, had the edge over the Briton nearly all the way and his victory was cheered by the crowd.

Miller's last recent fight before leaving the Pacific Coast, his usual haunt, was with Little Dempsey, Filipino featherweight at Salinas, Calif., on August 10, Miller winning handily.

He is pointing toward another bout with Baby Arizmendi, the Mexican, who is recognized as world lightweight champion by the National boxing association at Salinas, Calif., on August 10, Miller winning handily.

Miller, risking his NBA title, beat the Mexican early in 1933 but lost a return engagement in which the crown was not involved.

WOLGAST WINS. Cleveland, O., Oct. 1. Mildred Wolgast, the former world flyweight champion, won a decision here over Baby Arizmendi, of England, in 10 rounds.

Wolgast, now grown past the ban-tailweight limit of 118 pounds, lost out of the flyweight 112-pound

THREE OR
FIVE SETS
TENNIS
MATCHES?ANOTHER NEW
SUGGESTIONOBTAINING LONG
'VANTAGE SETS

The question of whether it is preferable to change tennis championship matches from five sets to three sets is still engaging the active attention of English critics, and in the following article, the sport of tennis is quoted cases for and against, and also advances a new suggestion for cutting down the matches to reasonable lengths. He writes:

When two such players as H. W. Austin, of the present day, and Commander G. W. Hillyard, R.N., of the past, unite in giving it as their considered opinion that best-of-five-sets matches, as played in all the major and most of the minor championships, should be changed to best-of-three-sets matches, it is impossible to disagree with their view entirely, without, at any rate, careful examination. Their reasons for desiring the change may be stated briefly. They say that the present basis of championship matches makes them too long and too exhausting; not conducive to the production of the best tennis, and liable permanently to injure the health of all but the most robust. They are not by any means alone in their views. Championship matches are not, nowadays, the comparatively leisurely affairs they were in the early days of the game; they are fought out at a speed, generated by the implements of the game, far greater than was known to its forefathers. The strain imposed on the players is, therefore, necessarily greater; ought that strain to be relieved by adopting some means of shortening championship matches? and, if so, what means?

KEEP FIT!

The fact is, that very few players take the trouble to get themselves really fit for the strain that championship singles play after day involve. Those who do reap the benefit, as Wilding showed five-and-twenty years ago, and as Perry shows at the present time. For the last-named, at any rate, the best-of-three sets match possesses practically no interest whatever; he needs the long encounter to show himself at his best; and the longer it is the better he is pleased, and the better he usually plays at the end of it. And there are many who hold the same view. I do not imagine that "best-of-three" matches would appeal to the Americans, for example, though perhaps they suffer more than most from the long match, owing to the amount they take out of themselves by relying so largely on an overwhelming service. And it is noticeable that, when in an important tournament, it is a question of whether the final of the singles shall be a best-of-three or a best-of-five. I should doubt whether, if a vote were taken of the hundred leading players of the world, more than ten per cent, would vote for the shorter test; and, indeed, I see no reason why a fit man should.

ALTERNATIVE SCHEMES.

But in these days, when lawn tennis has become a commercialised proposition, dependent on its "gates," the paying public is to be considered as well as the players. Probably quite a large proportion of the seat-holders at Wimbledon would be quite as well pleased with a brisk encounter of three-sets as with a long-drawn-out struggle of five, lasting perhaps over two hours, at the end of which time, both players have long since become exhausted, and are too tired to themselves justice. What is really wanted is something between the two, the three-setter is, or may be, too short; the five-setter too long. Four sets are obviously impracticable; the "half-way house," therefore, is no solution. It has been suggested that an alternative system of scoring should be made, and that three sets, only should be played, but that sets should be eight games up instead of six, with an "advantage" set only in the third set. This would probably achieve the desired effect, but its adoption means altering the rules of the long advantage sets, which have stood since 1884, the first year that playing advantage sets throughout the competition was adopted at Wimbledon. Personally, if any alteration is ever made, I consider that it would be far preferable to dispense of the long advantage sets, and the often very long advantage sets by enacting that, after deuce has been called in any game, the first player to win two points in succession, should win that game, and that after five games all has been called in any set, the first player to win two games in succession should win that set. This would do away with those occasional very long games and those e.g., 16-13 sets, which are not only so exhausting to the players, but also undoubtedly wearisome to all but a very few of those who are looking on

class, scaled 120 to 117 for the local boy.

In his last previous start he hampered out a decision over Henry Hooks, of Indianapolis, at New Orleans, Aug. 27.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The EIGHTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 6th October, and on Wednesday, 10th October, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on both days. The First Race will be Run at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Ladies and \$3.00 per day for Gentlemen (Both including Taxi and obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.)

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 12 o'clock, noon. Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting. Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 per day including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, The Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Ninth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday the 20th October, 1934, (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building; the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

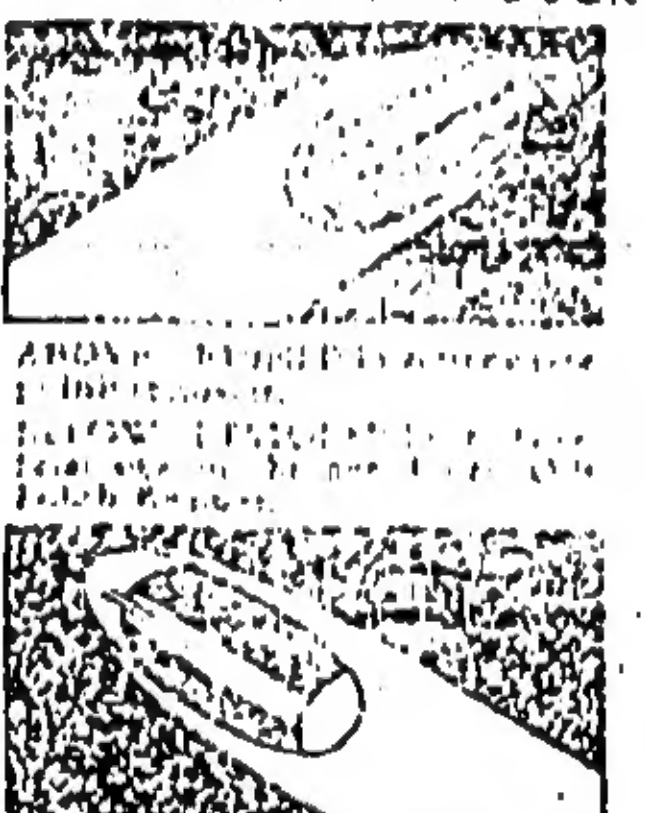
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SOUTH CHINA REVERT TO THEIR OLD ANTICS

INTERPORT CRICKET

H.K. TEAM MEET BAD WEATHER

Shanghai, Oct. 7. According to this morning's Shanghai Sunday Times the Hongkong Interport cricket team on board the Empress of Asia have wiredlessed to Shanghai asking for a postponement of the start of the match from Tuesday to Wednesday next.

It was stated in the message that the ship had encountered bad weather and that a large number of the Hongkong visitors were suffering from sickness.

It is stated that the postponement has been agreed to by the Shanghai authorities.

It is also announced that J. C. Jenkins, the reserve, has been selected to replace O. G. Simpson, who is ill.

Reuter.

MAMAK HOCKEY

POLICE DEFEAT SIGNALS

The Police, last season's winners of the Mamak Hockey tournament, registered their first win this season when they defeated the Royal Corps of Signals by three clear goals in a Mamak match on the Police Training School ground on Friday.

Indian constable B.750, Woodby, and Pennell netted for the Police. Waas, at centre-half, was outstanding for the winners, while Martin and Whithead played well for the Signals.

CAER CLARK CUP

The Caer Clark Cup ladies' hockey competition commences on October 20, when Central British Association Ladies will meet the Central British Schoolgirls at King's Park at 3 p.m. Only six teams have entered for the competition this season, the Club de Hecrolo second team withdrawing. The teams are: Central British Association, Central British School, St. Andrew's Club Ladies, Hongkong Ladies (Championess); Y.M.C.A. Ladies, and Hecrolo.

The seven-side hockey tournament matches will be played on December 8.

INTERNATIONAL LAWN BOWLS

ENGLAND BEATS PORTUGAL

CLOSE CONTEST

England claimed a name place on the Gutierrez Shield when she defeated Portugal by 24 shots to 18 in the final of the International lawn bowls rink competition on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club green yesterday afternoon.

The English four, comprised entirely of Interporters, had to fight hard for victory.

Portugal, whose rink included two Interport players, played very well, staging a remarkable recovery towards the end of the match. If any team suffered bad luck, especially with attempts to trail the Jack, it was the Portuguese.

Portugal's recovery was due in the main, to the brilliance of C. G. Silva, playing No. 3. Silva, however, was rather shaky in the early stages of the game.

A. W. Grimmit, who this season has created a record by winning the open singles, open pairs and open rinks championships, had the distinction of winning yet a fourth trophy, being included at No. 3 for England. He vied with Silva and sent down some good woods.

A sharp shower of rain at 4.45 caused a short adjournment. On resumption the players found no little difficulty in sending down their shots for correct placings.

England opened with a two on the first end, scoring a useful four on the third. They were leading 12-10 on the 12th end when rain fell. On resumption of play, the Portuguese registered a two on the 13th end and, however, scored on the next three ends, leading 17-12 on the 16th, and on the 18th head the Englishmen held a lead of 20-14.

Brilliant bowling by Silva saw Portugal register their first four of the match on the 19th end. On the last end, Luz failed to trail the Jack, and England scored three to bring their total to 24.

Many spectators who watched the game were entertained to tea by the Kowloon B.G.C.

The teams were as follows: England: E. G. Post, H. Beer, A. W. Grimmit and B. W. Bradbury (Skip).

Portugal: L. A. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, C. G. Silva and R. F. Luz (Skip).

Police Nearly Gain A Surprise Win

(Continued from Page 8.)

of a Police forward, and could not be debited to any error by a Chinese defender.

Wong Wing, Li Ting-sang and Lau Mau were an excellent trio, but it was Li Kwok-wai who really caught the eye. He played a magnificent game, both in breaking up the Police right wing and in keeping his own forwards on the move with through passes.

The more I see of Kwok the more I am convinced that as a left half, he stands on his own in local football. If he is fit next February, it is impossible to see anyone but him in the Interport side.

WONG'S "OFF" DAY.

Up forward Wong Mee-shun had a terribly "off" day. He passed too strongly and was seldom able to find his man when distributing the ball. On top of this he missed an open goal after some perfectly glorious work by Tao Kwai-shing.

As a matter of fact the big mystery of the Chinese was their starving of Tao. As an attacker he stood on his own, but in the first half he might just have been off the field for all the attention his colleagues paid him, and the only opportunities he had in the second "35" were those he created for himself by cutting in from the wing and capturing the ball.

Three remarkably clever dribbles stand out as the high spots of the game, and taken by and large, Tao was about the best forward on the field.

Tao Qua-long worked like a glutton, scored a neat goal, missed two, and persisted in that unnecessary leaping for the ball, for which one day, he is going to be pulled up by a referee and severely censured. This comment is

offered as advice, and it will be kinder to him if referees put an early stop to this trick.

The two reserves brought into the forward line were not impressive, but redeemed a poor afternoon's work which included several missed chances, by netting the deciding goal. The credit of it, however, goes to Tay, who effected a particularly smart manoeuvre on the left wing before placing the ball on Chaw Tak-fa's head.

ROBUST POLICE.

On the whole the Police played better than I was led to expect. As I have indicated they had not the polish as South China, but they attempted to make good this deficiency by robust tactics, which, in view of the earnestness in which they were carried out, remained remarkably free of foul play.

They were more impressive in defence than attack, the latter falling away badly after an encouraging start. Except when he allowed Tay to slip the ball through his legs, McHardy played errorless in goal, and twice at least saved goal-scoring shots.

He was very finely covered by Chris Pile and Blackburn, the former walking off with chief honours, because he had Tao Kwai-shing to think about in addition to the task of keeping Tay Qua-long in check. Nevertheless I liked the way Blackburn thwarted the energetic Wong Mee-shun.

One could find distinct room for improvement in the half back line. Gough was a ready worker, but was sadly at fault in anticipation and positioning. He allowed Tay to far too much room in which to operate, and he also retains that old fault, so prominent when he played for the Royal Artillery, of being too hasty in his kicking.

Several times he had chances of making a lot of ground and drawing the defence before parting, but he passed while his men were covered and promising positions were lost.

HONEST, BUT—!

Honesty of purpose was also the keynote of the work of Brooks and Parker. They were quite good in obstruction, but revealed many shortcomings in construction. Both Tommy Pile and Green, the wingers, suffered in consequence. Stephens was the best of a fair

TENNIS PLAYER WEDS.

SARAH PALFREY MARRIES BANKER'S SON.

Sharon, Mass., Oct. 7. Sarah Palfrey, world-famous tennis player, married Marshall Fabian, Jr., son of a Boston banker to-day. Sarah is 22 years of age and Fabian is 23.—United Press.

attack. He scored a perfectly delightful goal, and had a couple of other shots right on the target which made Wong Wing leap to his task.

Johnson was liable to overdo the energy stuff, occasionally overrunning the ball, and quite often badly positioned for the centre. He would also be well advised to forget his trick of taking the ball back towards his own goal. It loses valuable ground and time, and is in any case diametric to the principles of progressive attack.

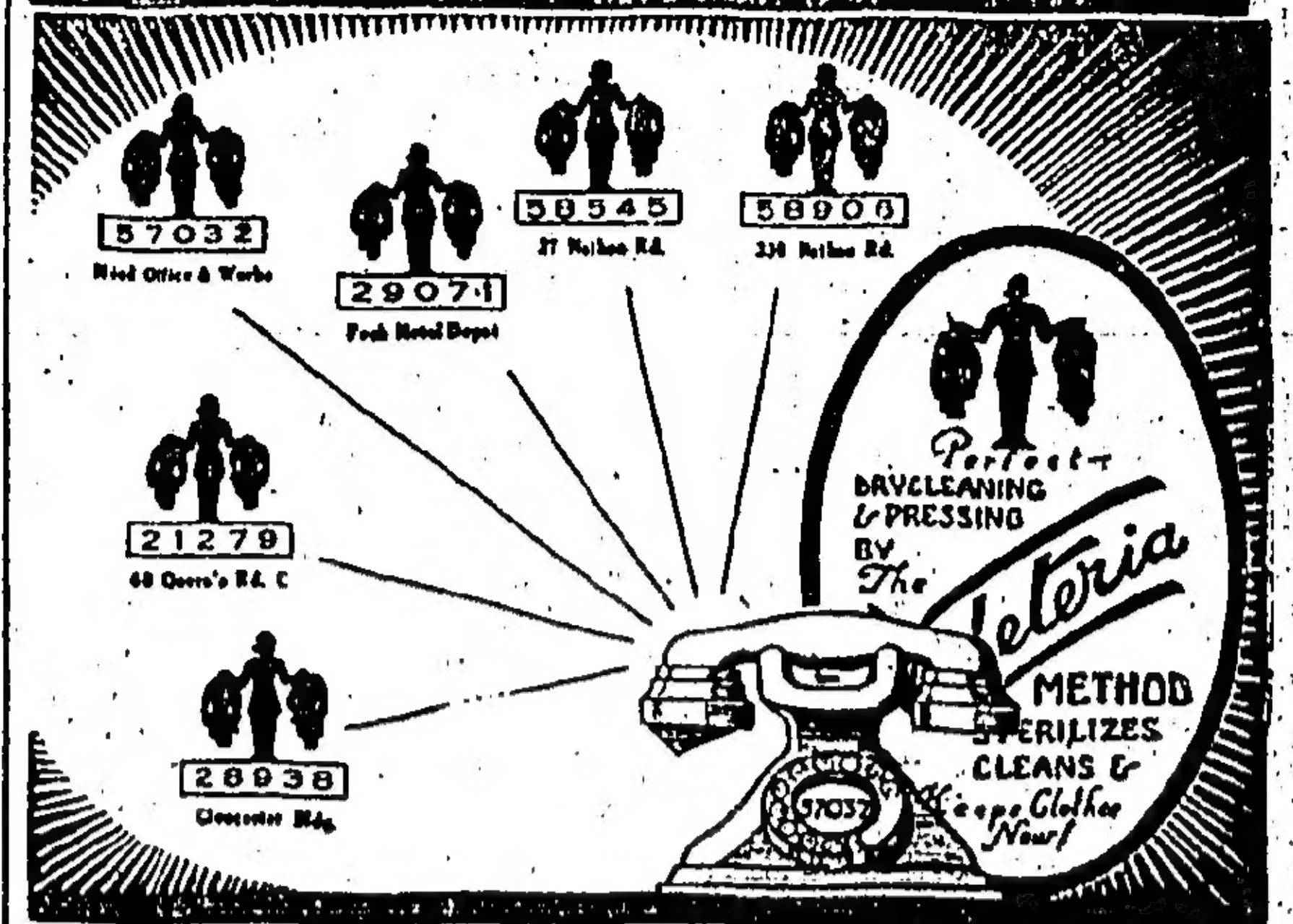
Channings seemed rather slow at inside left. I prefer him as a half back, and have a feeling that positional changes to this effect would improve the team.

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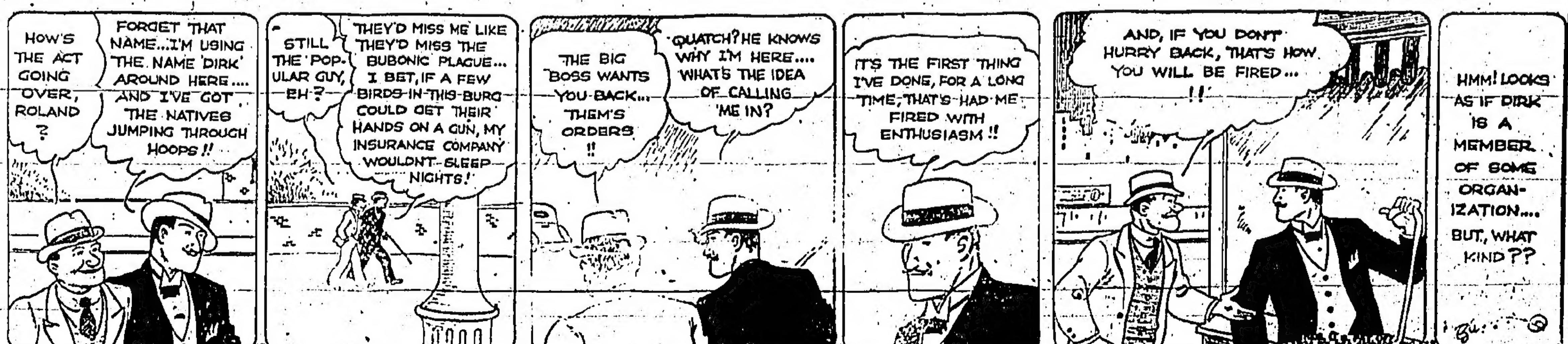
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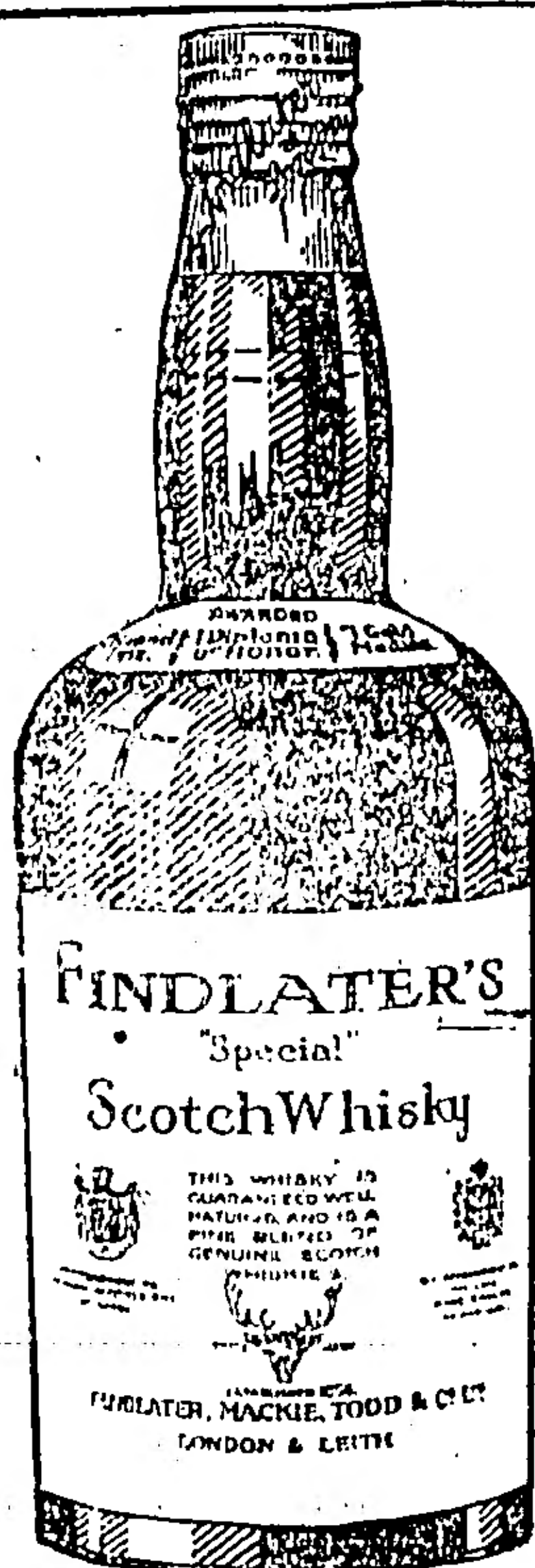
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CHAPTER XXIV

Mary had said to Boots, "The worst they can do is to take it out of your pay," quite as if \$10 weren't a small fortune when you worked at Lucy's and were paid \$18 a week. Ah, but was that the worst of it really? Might not the management suspect her of dishonesty, suspect her of having done away with that particular \$10 bill? Boots, walking to the soda fountain on leaden feet, had visions of an ignominious search. Of course they would not find the money, simply because she hadn't stolen it. But she felt that she would never be quite the same again after such an ordeal. No, she would feel definitely smirched.

There was no use trying to eat. Somehow she swallowed the scalding, bitter tea with the horrid little musing floating around in the thick cup. Somewhere, she thought dazedly, at this very moment girls her own age were sitting in softly lighted and scented restaurants, sipping a beverage totally unlike this. There would be faint music playing behind a screen of greenery and waiters would be slipping back and forth deferentially with silver dishes.

Meantime the revolving door of the soda fountain swung inward, with monotonous regularity and a maddening whoosh-whoosh. Everyone who came in, borne on the wings of the raw November wind, looked cold, looked shabby, a fast mounting riddle of water formed under the ledge of the counter where umbrellas dripped and a discouraging, appetite-destroying odour of stale dishwater hovered over all. Oh, it was no use, it was simply no use trying to buck this game, the girl thought in utter despair. In the mirror beyond the concession of "chocolate milks" she saw the cold storage eggs used in the concoction of "chocolate milks" she could see her own pale countenance.

The tip of her small nose was ever so slightly reddened. Her hat which had been last season a dashing enough "sports model" of brown felt was wilted by the rain. The brim drooped. She swallowed the last of the bitter liquid in the cup and pushed back her stool, giving place to a pale, thin, spectacled girl who had been impatiently waiting for her to do just that thing. The counter boy called "Another ham with the special."

Boots drifted out into the rain again. That afternoon was torture. Mr. Bliss questioned her again. She was sure she had put the bill in the container? Well, they would check up on the day's receipts. Of course she did not turn up the money she was responsible for. Boots nodded mutely. She was at the stage now where a single kind word would have brought upon a spell of bitter weeping. Fortunately she was so busy she did not have time for this luxury. Ten dollars—why, that would wipe out all her small margin of savings and take two other precious dollars out of her week's pay besides!

At long last the terrible day drew to a close. In the washroom Miss Apple came close and murmured sympathetically, "Heard about it, dear. It's a shame. It happened to me once." Boots' eyes lighted with the first hope she had felt all day. Perhaps her disgrace was not so deep after all.

"No kidding. I was only here a week. I like to die," Miss Apple assured her, reddening her lips. "I was only five. But I sure looked like a fortune to me." She sighed heavily at the memory.

"I don't understand it," Boots said, on the edge of tears. "I put it right in and slammed it shut. Then we waited and waited."

"This darn change system is years behind the times, that's what," Miss Apple stated firmly, adjusting a nose veil. "Just don't you worry. Maybe it'll turn up yet." But her tone was kind rather than encouraging. You could see she believed that precious

bill was swallowed up forever in the enormous maw of Lucy's change system. In spite of a heavy heart and a sense of impending disaster Boots discovered she was hungry. There was a bakery shop on lower Sixth avenue not far from Mrs. Mooney's where she could have a hot, filling meal for 40 cents. A slab of pot roast with red cabbage cooked German style. A crisp poppy-seed roll. A cup of steaming coffee with cream. The tables were bare white slabs. The scarred linoleum floor was polished by the passage of many feet. The air was steamy with the odour of cooking and wet woollen clothing. Boots was too utterly weary to care tonight. Her natural fastidiousness, submerged in a deep sense of fatigue and discouragement.

When she had finished the warm, satisfying meal she found she was so tired she could scarcely drag herself forth into the rain again. Ah, it would be heaven, she told herself dimly to fall asleep then and there not to wake again for hours. But of course that was "madness." She must get home, strip off the wet dripping clothes, dry her soaking shoes.

Mrs. Mooney's flat was reached by means of two long flights of stairs. The carpets smelled of dust; the old, darkly painted balustrade must once have been part of a house with some pretensions to elegance. Boots had her key all ready to fit into the lock but as she bent to find it, in the half-light cast by the dim bulb, the door swung open and a dark young man brushed past her with a muttered "Beg pardon." She did not even glance up at him, so sure was she in her apathy. All in the world she wanted at the moment was to seek the solace of her tiny room, shut the door on the world outside.

The apartment was part of a made-over brownstone front. In the front of the house, looking over the street, Mrs. Mooney had her own kitchenette, a bed-sitting room and a bathroom. A narrow corridor bisected the length of the remainder of the flat and two narrow doors opened off either side. Boots' room was one of those on the left. It was tiny, not more than eight feet square. There was a forlorn brass bed and a bureau which had once been painted ivory but whose former coats of paint—some green, some faded lemon coloured—now showed through in patches. A knob was missing.

Upon this bed Boots now collapsed, kicking off her sodden shoes with the rubbers still clinging to them. She had splashed through so many puddles that the rubbers had been sorry practical joke. Later, she told herself, when she was rested she would get up, stuff paper into those forlorn little oxfords and make certain of their being dry by to-morrow. Her only other pair, patent opera pumps, were at the shoemaker's and he closed shop at 6.

She wriggled out of her coat and lay there for a moment, savouring the blessed solitude. "Oh, I'm so tired," she whimpered faintly, burrowing her face deep into the pillow. It was not a friendly pillow. It was hard and unyielding and it smelled ever so slightly of some acrid disinfectant. Boots shrank from it. After a moment she started up. Better get off her working frock—it was the only one she had suitable for work at Lucy's, the prescribed black with white collar. It was damp and wrinkled now. She would have to get up early and press it. Her coat on a hanger, her hat on an improvised form of tissue paper, she wrapped herself in her warm dressing gown and flung herself between the blankets. She was chilled through. It seemed to her she would never be warm again.

She must have slept for hours. When she awoke the hands of the alarm clock on the bureau pointed

to 10 minutes past 10. Stupid, befogged with sleep, she struggled to her feet in response to a loud knocking at the door.

"Oh, yes, Mr. Mooney," she said. "Coming."

"It's a telegram, Miss Raeburn, dear." The landlady, broad, comfortably untidy, stood in the aperture. "I didn't hear you come in so I didn't know you were home or not. I just thought I'd see. Ain't you feelin' so well? You look feverish."

"I do feel a little—little hot," she agreed, swallowing hard. Her throat hurt. Oh, well, that was because she'd slept so hard without any air in the room. Naturally she felt groggy. She felt Mrs. Mooney's bright, curious but not unfriendly stare upon her.

"I guess I'll take an aspirin," she said, her hand on the knob. "Any thank you so much, Mrs. Mooney?"

Perhaps this was the end of the nightmare for her. Rushing to her room, she unlocked the door, straightened out the affair of the lost money, leave for Florida and her husband on the morrow.

But the sheet fluttered from her lax fingers as she read. She sank to her knees beside the bed.

"Oh, my God, my God," she muttered. "What am I going to do now?"

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